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Hi ya—keeds—all ye old and new campusites. Do you have troubles? Are you burdened with unexpressed gripes and groans? We have established a crab-shoot otherwise known as "Brick-Bats."

If you have anything on your chest, this is your safety-valve. Let off steam here!

Of course, if it isn't fit to print, then write it.

User's of the *Collegian* will welcome any constructive (that means something that integrates, not disintegrates) criticism.

The price is low; this is your beefy price. If your marks are low, if your best girl becomes ex, if your home burns down, if the chaplain is busy, write us.

Just one word of caution—we'd appreciate your John Hancock and John Smith.

Picnic Gives Frosh View of UM Life

The freshman class was introduced to its first taste of campus life Tuesday night at the senate-sponsored picnic. Our senate members were on hand to serve the new class.

The program was divided in two parts: a picnic supper and entertainment put on by the various musical guides directed by Professor Aviani.

The frosh have a slight edge on their superiors in that they were the first to see our new female cheerleaders in action—let's face it; this is a women's age—gone are our masculine rally leaders.

Bob Leavitt, senate president, was in charge of the program and Bill Starkweather acted as master of ceremonies. The freshmen were addressed by the heads of the campus musical groups. Among the invited guests were Dean Machmer, Dean Curtis and Dean Hopkins.

In closing, the class of '53 sang "Twilight" and our "Alma Mater."

A record number of students does present problems but it also can and should mean a more active and therefore more enjoyable campus. We believe that it will.

To The Freshmen

To the freshmen we offer the official welcome of the *Collegian*. We believe you'll like this campus, it's a pretty good place to be. In numbers you are a unique class, a record class. The advice we give here is hardly unique, yet it applies to you as it has applied to other freshman classes who have read it in *Collegian* editorials. In two words: Work hard.

New Record Set in 2 Summer Terms

In the line with the record attendance figures this fall, UM summer school attendance during the term just finished also set a new record. It was reported this week by Dean William L. Machmer.

Two six week sessions were attended by a combined total of 786 students, some 200 more than the previous high attendance set last summer. This figure is seven times the pre-war summer school attendance.

Dean Machmer stated that the number attending was much higher than had been expected and that it was outstanding considering that fact that there had been no advertising campaign for the summer courses.

Be-Kind-to-Teachers-Note

A complimentary copy of this issue is being given to all members of the faculty with the compliments of the business and editorial staffs.


Collegian Profile No. 23
Prof. Troy Graduate of This School

That popular professor of English, Frederick Sherman Troy, is finding his classes filled to capacity again at registration time. You just can't graduate from the university without taking at least one.

Mr. Troy, who was born in Somerville, Massachusetts, in 1909, spent the early part of his life in Boston. In 1931 when the university was still known as Mass. Aggie, Troy received his B.S. in English. An opening in the English department occurred the very same year, and thus Troy began his teaching career. He received his master's degree at Amherst College in 1935. Although most of his education was acquired in Amherst, Troy has also studied at Harvard and in France.

Longtime Member of UM Staff

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Appropriately enough, Troy's hobby is reading, and it is especially interested in works written between the Renaissance and the 18th century.

Once in Merchant Marine

Service in the Merchant Marine gave Professor Troy an excellent opportunity for travel. As a seaman, he traveled to England, Ireland, Greenland and Cuba. He joined the Marines in the summer of 1942 and sailed until he was injured in 1944 and hospitalized in Halifax until 1945. A flying hatch cover had struck him, and although he had then been contemplating marine school at New London, he was discharged from the service. The second semester of 1945 found him back as an instructor at the University.

Information on new courses added to the curriculum of the University was released this week by Robert McCarty of the University News Service. Included in the new courses are seven added to the School of Science, curriculum, seven in Liberal Arts, seven in Industrial Engineering, and one in Business Administration.

The new science courses are Water and Sewage Sanitation and Principles of Sanitation in the Bacteriological and Public Health department; Advanced Calculus in Mathematics; and Vertebrate Physiology, Comparative Physiology, and General Cellular Physiology and Endocrinology in Zoology.

To the School of Liberal Arts were added courses in Intermediate French, idiomatic French, Advanced French, Statistics and Composition, Introductory and Reading Italian, Statistics in Psychology, and Physiological Psychology.

Two other courses in French and one in Spanish have been approved by trustee action, but will not be offered during the coming academic year.

Tennis, archery, volley ball, and soccer games are scheduled. Refreshments will be served.

Frosh Dance Tomorrow Night at Butterfield

A freshman get acquainted dance will open the U of M social season this Saturday, with Adelphia and Isogen sponsoring the first shindig.

The dance is designed to promote freshman spirit and give the members of the new class a chance to get a look at each other with a less severe background than registration lines.

A get acquainted dance is held every year by Adelphia and Isogen. This year's offering will be held at Butterfield House, starting at 8 p.m. Music will be provided by records and coca-cola will be available. All frosh are urged to attend.

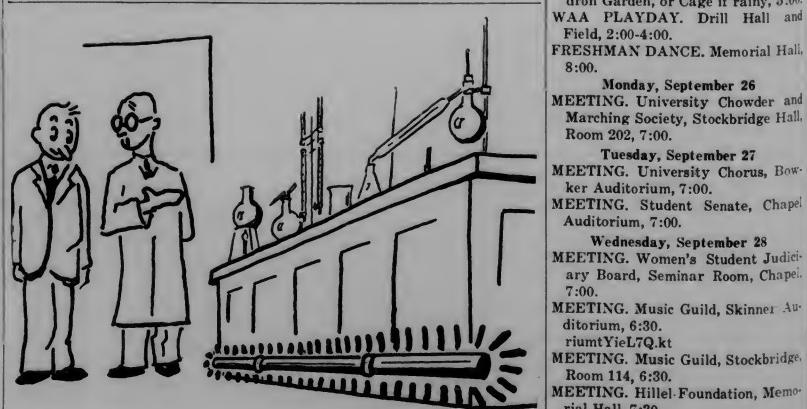
Band Officers

Appointments of new band officers for the coming year are as follows: General Manager, Stanley Charm, '50; Assistant Manager, Robert Anthony, '50; Drill Team Leader, Doug Footit, '50; Student Band Director, Ralph Marsden, '50; Cheerleader, George Rhodes, '50; Supply Manager, Carl Richardson, '50.

Members of the Statesman

Ex-members of the Statesman are invited to join the Collegian staff. As experienced workers in collegiate newspaper work, no competitor period will be necessary for those who desire to come out for the Collegian.

If interested, former Statesmen are invited to come to the Collegian meeting, Memorial Hall, this afternoon at five, or on Monday or Tuesday afternoon next week.



"You should be at home here."

Gaylord

A complimentary copy of this issue is being given to all members of the faculty with the compliments of the business and editorial staffs.

EVERYONE GOES TO THE U STORE

For Your Snacks, Supplies and Every Need

The University Store

The Most Popular Course on Campus

**WMUA To Resume October 1;
Will Air UM-Norwich Game**
Ferwerda to Run In 'Hamp Election'

WMUA, the student-operated campus radio station, will start broadcasting from the Tower Studio in South College about October 1.

Arrangements are being made under the direction of Wayne Langill, Station Head, for broadcasting from 7 to 11 nightly.

Last year's studio has been completely remodeled to include a new control room, record library, and main studio. Members of the WMUA staff did most of the reconstruction work themselves during the summer months.

The WMU-Norwich football game, scheduled for October 1, will be brought to campus listeners via the airwaves. This game, the first to be broadcast over WMUA, will be followed by the relaying of all home games to radio listeners.

Plans for the school year, discussed at a staff meeting Tuesday night, include the broadcasting of up-to-the-minute world news as well as daily weather reports and campus news.

In a statement issued when filing nomination papers, Mr. Ferwerda explained that one of the reasons he wishes to secure the council post is to follow through on the work already done in modernizing the theater. His position on the council would provide the group with a member familiar with the basic principles of the new charter.

In addition to his duties as professor of Government, Mr. Ferwerda has been active in the Mt. Holyoke United Nations Institute.



PASS THE DESERT—Rusty Westwater, Ed Paul, Hank Drewniany, Jim Marshall, and Bob Kelsey gather around to sample the watermelon, piece de resistance at the barbecue held during summer school.

Summer students at the U. of M. brought their weeks of toil to a happy end at a mammoth barbecue given on August 30 under the direction of student chairman, Al Brown. More than 700 attended.

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Five New Profs Added To English Department

Two assistant professors and three instructors have been added to the English Department it was announced this week by Prof. Frank Prentice Rand, head of the department.

Dr. Eliot D. Allen, who holds degrees from Wesleyan, Harvard and Princeton, has been named assistant professor of English.

Dr. Arthur R. Williams, who holds degrees from Clark University and Cornell, has been named assistant professor of English, to replace Prof. H. Leland Yarber, who is on a year's leave of absence.

Penalties for unexcused absences in excess of sophomore privileges will result in a 2% deduction from the final grade of the course. This deduction will be made by the dean's office.

No Vacation Cuts

Absences immediately prior to and following vacations are not permitted to upperclassmen except on authorization of the Dean's office, and under no circumstances to sophomores or freshmen.

Freshmen are entitled to no absences privileges at all. Excuses must be applied for in advance, if possible, at the dean's office. Penalties for unexcused absences will also result in a 2% deduction from the final grade of the course.

The results were announced at the Honors Banquet at Hotel Kimball, Springfield, in the evening of Sept. 20.

Sidney Kaplan, a graduate of the College of the City of New York with an M.A. from Boston University, has been named instructor in English. Walter J. Stelkovic, a graduate of Emerson College in Boston has been named instructor in Speech.

The University of Massachusetts took third place in all products, took third place in milk, eighth place in butter, fourth place in cheese, and first place in ice cream, the prize being a cup donated by the General Ice Cream Corporation.

Don Mackay was high individual in ice cream, Phil Blanchard being fifth high man in ice cream. Phil was high man in milk, Earl Pilgrim was ninth high man in milk and cheese. Abraham Yaloff was the alternate.

The members of the University of Massachusetts team were: Philip Blanchard, Jr., W. Donald Mackay, Earl N. Pilgrim, and Abraham Yaloff, alternate.

He is a member of Sigma Xi, American Psychological Association, the American College Personnel Association, Phi Delta Kappa, and Phi Eta Sigma. His most recent work is an article relating to the psychological aspects of student counseling which appeared in "School and Society."

On the way back to Massachusetts, Prof. Wilson took several of the students through Wisconsin, Ontario, and New York State to collect fossils.

The team was coached by Dr. D. H. Nelson.

Ten Geology Students Take Special Course

Ten University of Massachusetts students have returned from a summer field course in Regional Geology, a week, and on Sundays direct field trips were conducted.

Students who took the course were William F. Berry, Allan C. Buck, Donald Hattin, David Hunter, John Laad, Nestor Nicholais, Salwy H. Taylor, Wallace Walowek, and George J. Zebrowski.

In addition, Henry Saulnier, a graduate student at the University and Robert L. Kane, an Amherst College student, were members of the party.

No medals were available for high individuals in the various products. The cups awarded to the high teams are permanent trophies. The winning team retains possession of the cup until it is won by another.

The team was coached by Dr. D. H. Nelson.

The geology course, conducted by Dr. Leonard R. Wilson, head of the university's Department of Geology, was given for the first time this past summer.

Dr. Hanson, assistant professor of entomology here, went with the party on a research trip.

The instructors and students lived for six weeks in tents in the Mosquito Mountains, seven miles west of South Park. The course was held six

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SPORTS



Grid Debut Against Bates Under Lewiston Lights Tomorrow Lack of Depth Worries Tommy Eck on Eve of Opener

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year has been switched entirely to quarterback this year, but is also on the doubtful-injury list for the first game. Jack Payne, second string end, is out with a twisted ankle, and Ev Johnston, who scored the only touchdown against Bates last year, has injured tendons in his ankle and is also on the doubtful list.

Potential Starters

Bob Bullock, a blocking back last year, has been switched to end and is slated to start at right end. Bob Warren, and Johnny Nichols will probably hold down the tackle positions. Both are lettermen from last year's squad. Co-Captain Bob Pasini will be at right guard, and either Al Bazar, an ex-Devers letterman, or Fran Driscoll should be at left guard. Bud Estelle, another letterman from last year's squad is the probable starting center.

Marty Anderson and Russ Beaumont are scheduled to start at the halfback posts and Co-Captain "Strut" Struzziero has been switched from right half to the fullback slot. If Dick Gleason is unable to start at quarterback, the position will be filled by Ray Gagnon, a three-letterman last year.

Hal Feinman, the heaviest back on the team will undoubtedly see a lot of action, and will probably do the putting if Sison is not available.

Bates' Line Heavy

The Bates Bobcats will stack a 210 pound line from tackle to tackle against the Redmen, while the Massachusettsmen will only average 179. Bates has lost the fabulous Art Blanchard, but they are recompensed by a fellow named Boone who is reported to be a real speed merchant in the backfield. Coach Ducky Pond is supposed to install a two team system this year against the Redmen, and he still has his outstanding end, Dick Scott, who turned in a fine performance against our squad last year.

Can Tie Series

The Eckmen are especially gunning for a victory this year because it will even up the series with Bates that was started in 1901. If the Redmen can come through, it will even the score at eight games for each team and one scoreless tie.

Football Roster

Name	Class	ENDS
Boynston, Richard L. Jr.	195	
*Bulcock, Robert Sr.	168	
Knight, Emery So.	165	
Kowalik, Eugene F. Jr.	180	
*Looney, William Sr.	167	
Pyne, John S. So.	180	
Roth, Philip Sr.	175	
TACKLES		
Garvey, Michael F. So.	182	
Natale, Joseph V. Sr.	245	
*Nichols, John T. Jr.	195	
Peters, David M. Jr.	190	
*Vara, Richard H. Jr.	210	
Waite, Richard R. So.	158	
*Warren, Robert B. Jr.	185	
GUARDS		
Bazar, Alvin T. Jr.	170	
*Desautels, Cyril Jr.	145	
*Driscoll, Francis G. Jr.	155	
Fienberg, Solomon Sr.	190	
*Pasini, Robert M. Sr.	200	
CENTERS		
Barone, Joseph Sr.	180	
Driscoll, Robert E. Jr.	160	
*Estelle, Arnold J. Sr.	164	
Speak, Alan So.	173	
Turcotte, Alphonse C. Jr.	194	
HACKS		
*Anderson, Martin L. Jr.	163	
Beaulac, Raymond R. Jr.	160	
*Bonhamont, Russell H. Jr.	164	
Benoit, John J. So.	165	
Doherty, Gerald J. Jr.	162	
Estelle, John R. Jr.	160	



CO-CAPT. "STRUT" STRUZZIERO

Football Schedule		
Sept. 24	Bates	A 2:00
Oct. 1	Norwich	H 2:00
Oct. 8	Worcester Tech	A 2:00
Oct. 15	Rhode Island	H 2:00
Oct. 22	Rochester	H 2:00
Oct. 29	Vermont	A 2:00
Nov. 5	Springfield	A 2:00
Nov. 12	Tufts	H 2:00



CO-CAPT. "BOB" PASINI

Dick Lee to Coach New JV Grid Team

The University of Massachusetts will field three football teams this year for the first time in its history when a Junior Varsity team takes the field. Dick Lee, last year's star running fullback, is in charge of the new aggregation which was planned to give more opportunities of playing football to more students than ever before.

The newly formed junior varsity will compete in a four game schedule starting against Mount Hermon Academy on the eighth of October. Under this new plan, the varsity coaches will be able to watch the players gain experience, and hidden or overlooked stars can be brought up to the varsity.

Ray, who captained the basketball team in his junior and senior years here, has served as coach and teacher in the high school at Berlin, New Hampshire.

In 1946 the university fielded a junior varsity team, but this was in lieu of a freshman team; so only two teams were fielded that year.

Former Mass. Athlete Now Teacher - Coach

Ray Kneeland, class of '47, a former star on the university's baseball and basketball teams has accepted a position as teacher and assistant coach in the high school at Berlin, New Hampshire.

Harvard tops the list of four other colleges meeting the Redmen in dual meets, the Crimson playing hot (and a good one it is hoped) on October 28. The annual home dual meet of the season will find M.I.T. supplying the opposition. Last season the Engineers were nosed out 27-28 by the Redmen. Worcester Tech and Vermont round out the dual affairs.

The annual Connecticut Valley Championships will take place here on November first. Last year the Redmen finished behind strong squads from Springfield and Coast Guard, but topped both schools in the New England held in Boston. It marked the second straight year the Maroon and White wound up second at the New England's at Franklin Park, Rhode Island State capturing first place laurels both times.

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS 1949 FOOTBALL SQUAD



FOOTBALL SQUAD—1st row, left to right—Rogers, Looney, Feinman, Fleischner, Sison, Pasini, Struzziero, Johnson, McManus, A. Estelle, Natale, Bullock, 2nd row, Warren, Nichols, Ovian, Gleason, Bazar, Driscoll, Vara, Beaumont, Beaulac, B. Estelle, Phalen, Anderson, Roth, 3rd row, Garvey, Lewis, Turcotte, Doherty, Desautels, Gagnon, F. Driscoll, Peters, Drake, Waite, Benoit, Speak. Last row, Farmsworth, ass't manager, Francis, manager, Knight, Paduch, Kowalek, Pyne, Coaches Lorden, Masi, Eck.

Soccer Squad Meets Dartmouth In Opening Contest Tomorrow

Looking Things Over

By Russ Brodus

Addresses of greetings are usually stated and phrased in the optimistic and as such, this does not differ in substance or form. It is, however, tempered by a grave note as well and addressed to upperclassmen as well as the entering class.

Those newcomers on campus are all too familiar with athletics here, and many freshmen know or will hear much of that score before they are settled at the U.M. for long.

If the results of several intrasquad scrimmages held during the training sessions are valid, the Redmen will more than hold their own against the Indians from New Hampshire.

Co-captains Red Winton and Andy George head the list of returning lettermen. The loss of Ed McGrath and Jack Holt through graduation was especially tough because they were both selected for several All-Sports aggregations during their undergraduate years.

Past Is Dead

Whatever our past, we can do nothing about it. We cannot live in the past. The records are indeed in the books. But the future is just beginning and our sports future depends a great deal on support. The golden harvest of victory may be just as close around the corner as the spectre of defeat. The final result may well turn on the sincerity of the cheering stands.

A new school year merits a new start, free from any past misunderstanding or prejudice. September all over the country in all colleges is the time for renewed hope, optimism and faith, and it is to be desired that new students on campus discount what they hear and judge on what they see from the stands. Student support has never harmed a team.

Lack of it has hurt many.

The soccer squad held a full length scrimmage on Wednesday with Ludlow High School with the Briggsmen coming out on the long end of a 4-0 score.

Harriers Out To Better One-Loss Record

The scalp-seeking Massachusetts Harriers, eager to better last year's cross country record of only one loss, open a season of five dual meets and three championship contests on October first at Boston against Northeastern University. The Huskies were the only squad to down the Derbymen last year and the Maroon and White is out for revenge.

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3 UM Profs Retire With Long Service On Student Service

Dr. Goldberg Attends Conference at Wells With Long Service On Student Service

Dr. Maxwell H. Goldberg, professor of English at the university, all having more than 30 years service, retired from the staff.

Leaving active service are Curry J. Hicks, former head of the division of physical education, John B. Newton, assistant professor of mechanical engineering and Walter E. Prince, professor of English.

Curry Hicks, who served as director of athletics at this school for 38 years, set up the joint committee on inter-collegiate athletics. He pioneered the drive for Alumni Fund and spearheaded the fund drive for construction of the physical education building which now bears his name. He is succeeded by Warren P. McGuirk, former head coach and athletic director at Malden High School.

John B. Newton, former assistant professor of mechanical engineering worked with every Stockbridge class since that school was founded in 1918. He handled courses in forge and farm shop and in later years was in charge of machine shop courses.

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During the past year approximately 10,000 news stories about the U. of M. appeared in the Massachusetts press, along with several roto spreads, and a variety of editorials supporting the program of President Van Meter.

The University was the only school in New England to report an increase in the number of applicants for admission.

The Vermont Storekeeper

Handknitting Yarns

Sock Paks

AMHERST

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

SEPT. 23-24

STARTS

SUNDAY

SEPT. 25

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

SEPT. 28-29

SCREEN SCHEDULE

Mon. thru Sat. 2:00, 6:30, 8:30

Sun. Cont. 2:00-10:30

Tough! Terrific! Action!

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6 New Hit Parade Songs!

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The Great Sinner

GREGORY PECK—AVA GARDNER

Melvyn Douglas—Ethel Barrymore

SCREEN SCHEDULE

Fri. Sat. Eve. 6:30-10:30 Sat. Mat. 2

Sun. Cont. 1:30-10:30 Mon. Eve. 6:30-10:30

TOWN HALL

FRIDAY & SATURDAY EVENINGS

SEPT. 23-24

BUD ABBOTT — LOU COSTELLO

"KEEP 'EM FLYING"

—Co-Hit—

"RIDE 'EM COWBOY"

Bud Abbott — Lou Costello

TYRONE POWER — DOROTHY LAMOUR

"Johnny Apollo"

—Co-Hit—

Rochelle Hudson — Bruce Cabot

Fifty-Nine New Pros Added

Fifty-nine new faculty members have been added to the staff of the University, it was announced this week by the president's office.

The Engineering and Business Administration departments came in for the largest number of additions to the faculty, with the Art, English, and Language departments also adding important new members to their staffs.

Enrollment . . .

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of the \$8,000,000 post war building program.

The 600 freshmen were selected from approximately 2100 Massachusetts applicants. Out-of-state students were not accepted this year, although more than 1000 requests for admission to the freshman class were received from out-of-state.

800 Fresh Next Year

Next year, and thereafter, the university will admit 800 students to its freshman class, and Registrar Marshall Lanphear has reported that he hopes to be able to accept all well-qualified Massachusetts applicants next year.

The student body this year includes the last group of transfer students from the temporary campus at Fort Devens. Altogether 2685 Massachusetts veterans were enrolled at Devens for the first two years of their college training while facilities were completed at Amherst for their transfer to a permanent campus.

The Fort Devens branch was opened in 1946, and the final convocation there was held on May 29, 1949.

UM Movie Fund . . .

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to show a clear picture of campus life, scholastically, socially, and athletically. It will be filmed in color and will run for approximately 22 minutes. The travelogue technique will be followed in having a commentator with occasional background music.

Opening shots have already been taken of Registration and Freshman week. The film is expected to be finished in late fall of next year and will then be sent out to high schools and social organizations throughout the state.

Vets' Checks . . .

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and hinder the progress required for the majority.

While some checks may not be received prior to December 1, 1949, the VA has asked that no requests for information on individual cases be made before this date except where subsistence allowances or other problems have arisen from schooling prior to the fall enrollment.

Pets . . .

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15. Dean Hopkins said that "the health, safety, comfort, and general welfare of human beings—particularly families with children who live in an area whose concentration of people is nearly twice that of New York City—takes precedence over that of pet animals."

Remaining Pets Removed

Only nine or ten pets remained in Federal Circle by the time this statement was issued, and owners of these animals were given until September 16 to remove them or be denied registration for classes.

Dean Hopkins stated this week that the owners of all remaining pets in Federal Circle had given him their word that the animals had been removed.

Walter D. Lesure . . .

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Lesure's friends on campus report that he was a well-like hard-working boy who was extremely active in 4-H work and in the Animal Husbandry club. Intending to major in Animal Husbandry, he had recently received a scholarship for his sophomore year at college. A member of Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity, he played a prominent part in fraternity work. He played the saxophone in the university band, and also took part in the last year's interfraternity sing.

McGuirk . . .
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the undefeated football squads of 1926 and 1928.

Coach at Malden
Before coming here, Mr. McGuirk gained valuable experience in teaching, coaching and administrative work at Malden High School and service in the U. S. Navy. He taught science, and Physical Education, and coached the 1929-1942 Malden Football teams, turning out an excellent record. In 1931 his team was the undefeated State Champion, and in '33 he lost that honor in a post season game the Malden eleven, after winning 10 straight, lost to Lawrence 6-0. 1936 saw the Malden team tied for the State Championship. This was the first year that the interscholastic point system was used for determining the champs.

The Navy gave Warren McGuirk added experience along administrative lines. He was Athletic Director and Supervisor of the Intramural Program at Quonset Point, and organized and administered athletic programs at 16 Naval Air Stations on the Atlantic Coast.

In 1948, back at Malden, he coached the team to another Class A championship, and was selected to represent the North in the Gator Bowl.

He holds membership in many clubs and associations closely connected with athletics, among them the Massachusetts State Coaches' Association, Secondary School Principals' Association, Gridiron Club of Boston, and was the first president in 1935, National Intercollegiate Athletic Association, American Associa-

WMUA
wants an energetic student to write news of feature and special events concerning Campus Radio Station WMUA, South College Campus.

Index
Cards issued to students at registration entitled all those who did not receive a copy of the 1949 yearbook in June to one *Index*.

Books may be picked up in room 201, Stockbridge Hall. Cards will not be valid after October 4 of this year.

Chi O
Chi Omega sorority announced this week that it has decided to award a scholarship for the social sciences again this year.

The award of \$25 is awarded to the senior girl with the highest scholastic average in the Social Sciences—(Philosophy, Psychology, and Sociology). The award is made for first semester averages.

Index Meeting
A meeting of the 1950 *Index* staff will be held on Thursday September 29, at 7 P.M. in the *Index* office. Anyone interested in joining the staff will please attend this meeting.

for Health, Physical Education and Recreation, Malden Teachers Association, Secondary School Principals' Association, Gridiron Club of Boston, and was the first president in 1935, National Intercollegiate Athletic Association, American Associa-

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enough to serve all the well-qualified Massachusetts students who need its facilities. We have never met those requirements, but we are now in a position to come much closer to it than ever before. This year, for example, we could not accept all the qualified applicants from the 2100 Massachusetts applicants, and many more from other states, who applied for the 600 freshman class openings."

"Of more importance than size is the quality of our teaching and research. Here we might point with pardonable pride, but complacency is fatal in the face of the tremendous possibilities for improvement in this field in every educational institution in the land."

"All real education is self-education. The materials of education are by no means confined to the classroom; they are everywhere. The goal is understanding or real scholarship. It involves a genuine appreciation of excellence."

"This state university campus is a cross section of the Commonwealth and the country, more truly than the campus population of many colleges and universities."

"As you come to understand the people about you, you will come to see more and more clearly that ability is not a matter of race, religion or national origin, and that judgment based on those circumstances are unfair and unjust. Unfair discrimination, based on things that are not

University Chorus
The first audition for the University Chorus will be held at 7 P.M. on Tuesday, September 27 at Roger Auditorium.

The first rehearsal will be at the same time and place on Tuesday, October 4.

Anyone interested in singing is invited to attend.

pertinent, must be purged from American life. But remember, too, that discrimination based on character and ability is the very foundation of effective social and political and economic organization."

"Sharpen constantly your judgment of men and women as it relates to character and ability to accomplish the things that need to be done, but free your mind of any immature things that warp your judgment."

"Traffic problems of the campus are so acute that drastic measures will have to be taken to make it possible for all of us to live here."

"Crowded conditions raise problems that call for tolerance and understanding. Our new dining hall was not forthcoming, and we face a very critical situation as a result. To make it possible for all students to find places to eat we are asking most of you to eat regularly at one of the campus dining halls. We are forced to do this as the only way to use in the most effective manner the limited facilities available to you. The arrangement is not satisfactory to any of us, but we hope after a short period of adjustment the inconveniences will be minimized."

Appropriately enough it was captain Ed Struzziero who rang up the first Massachusetts touchdown of the year. He burst over from the five to top off a drive that started at the fifty with a McManus runback of a Bates punt. Beaumont lost a yard attempting to pass but Strut slashed in the Bates forty for a first down. A jump pass, Struzziero to Gleason, took the ball all the way to the twenty. Strut picked up ten more in two cracks, Beaumont spelled him for five, and Strut came back with the TD. Rogers' placement attempt was missed.

The Redmen received the second half kickoff and went seventy-two

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construction

program now

under way here.

Herrick Studio

Hasbrouck Hall

PHYSICISTS HOME
Hasbrouck lab, recently opened on campus will house the physics department of the U of M. The new lab is one of the buildings in the \$8,000,000

**Senate Election To Be October 10; Student Life Election Also Planned**

The fall election for members of the student Senate will be held on Monday, October 10, according to a vote of the present Senate at their first meeting Tuesday night.

The Redmen received the second half kickoff and went seventy-two

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Candid UM Dance To Follow Rally
U of M's first All Campus Dance will take place tomorrow night, Friday, September 30, at Memorial Hall, directly following the Norwich Rally. The dance will be staged, "come as you are" from the rally. Tickets will be twenty-five cents per person, the proceeds going for the benefit of the Candid U. M. Movie Fund.

The dance is planned as a welcome to Devens transfers especially, offering an entrance into the social life of the campus and as a chance for them to come in closer contact with the "old guard" element of the school.

The new cheerleading team which this year includes the innovation of female members will lead the parade in the Military Department's tanks. The line will be lit by torch bearing members of Adelphi and Isogen.

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Congratulations!

To the football team, Coach Eck and the assistant coaches, the COLLEGIAN offers a brand new, custom made, three-starred set of congratulations. The long end of a 19-0 score is a good thing at any time; in the season's opener it is several times better than that, counting members lost from last year's squad and a reshuffled lineup.

We didn't see the game but our reporter informs us the team won some hard仗 and against the odds, the odds mainly being a group of rather large gentlemen composing the Bates front line. A newspaper account the morning following the game states, " - the Redmen line tore to shreds the Bates line." Allowing something for the reporter's attempt to color the story we will also allow that this is quite good. It is also, to mint a phrase, slightly phenomenal, this business of a Redmen line "shredding" an opposing line which outweighs it an average twenty, thirty pounds. An investigation might be in order here but this department will accept the fact that it happened with no further questions. Maybe it is the result of these shouts of "CHARGE!" we hear drifting over from the practice field of an afternoon.

It appears then that the maroon and white line last Saturday evening had plenty of spirit, a quantity which they tell us will go a long way on a football field. It also appears that the backfield must have been well-supplied with same. We understand, however, that this was noticeable only on offense and defense.

It also appears that, after this start, the campus should now be ready to show its appreciation and spirit by a large and enthusiastic turnout at tomorrow night's monster rally (but monstrous) and again on Saturday when we hope and expect to see a repeat of the first victory.

In this first contest of the year, Massachusetts beat six college teams including Cornell University and Penn State College which stood second and third. The group is coached by Prof. W. Allen Cowan.

The University meats judging team placed first competition. Ted Eschholz, '50 had the highest score. Ed Rehill, Tom Walz and Bill Gross also placed in the first four and made it possible for the team to change. Rumors has it that there hasn't been one for three years.

This is a big day for the freshmen for if they come out victory can discontinue the wearing of beanies, but if they lose they will have to wear them until Thanksgiving.

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Three New Buildings Open in \$8,000,000 U M Building Program**Redmen off on Right Foot; Trample Bates Squad, 19-0****2 More Alumni-Built Dormitories****To Be Ready By Second Semester**

An expanding U of M campus will receive the use of five new buildings—part of an \$8,000,000 program—during this semester, according to a statement made by President Van Meter in his opening address at convocation last Thursday.

Three of the buildings, Hasbrouck Physics Laboratory, Gunniss Engineering Laboratory and Brooks House, a dorm, were ready for use as the semester started. Two additional dorms will be ready before the second semester commences.

In addition to the three completed structures and the two in advanced stages of construction, work is going ahead on a \$500,000 student-faculty apartment house, a \$518,000 animal pathology building, a \$500,000 wing to the main engineering building, and a \$1,361,000 power plant and utility project.

Program Authorized in 1946

The \$8,193,750 building program was authorized by the Commonwealth, Federal Government and the Alumni Building Corporation in 1946, the government investing \$600,000, the state \$5,143,750 and the Alumni Association \$2,450,000. The latter figure includes appropriations for several dorms in the period between 1939 and 1946.

The alumni corporation finances the dormitory buildings on a selfliquidating basis. The dorms are paid for by student rent and will eventually become the property of the state without cost to the taxpayers.

The \$8,000,000 program shades into insignificance the investments in the U of M plant in the years from 1929 to 1946. In that period the state supplied \$431,790 in joint financing with the federal government and funds.

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Classes To Elect Officers Oct. 17th

Election of class officers for this year will be held on Monday, October 17th. If there are more than five candidates for any one office, primary elections will be held on that date and finals a week later. Voting will be conducted according to classes, the times and places to be announced later.

According to the constitution of the Student Government, nominations for class officers shall be secured by typewritten petition signed.

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Rise Stevens Here For Concert October 11

by Judy Davenport
The UM Concert Association, which in the past has brought many outstanding performers in the realm of music to our campus, has arranged five concerts for this year. The association is attempting to bring top artists to the campus in order that all may enjoy good music no matter what his musical taste.

Rise Stevens, outstanding mezzo-soprano, and star of the operatic world, will open the concert series on October 11. Miss Stevens is a well-known performer for concert, radio, and screen. She will appear on the Bell Telephone Hour on October 10, the day before her appearance here.

Piano-Violin Duo

Istomin and Fuchs, a piano and violin duo, will appear on November 13. Eugene Istomin is a young American pianist who has played with leading orchestras in all parts of the country, Joseph Fuchs, noted in

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Rope Pull—Tradition or Flop

Next Saturday, immediately following the Norwich game, freshmen and sophomores will tug for the honor of their classes in the traditional rope pull across the college pond.

Time was when the rope pull was the highlight of the freshman hazing program. If the freshmen were lucky enough to win, it meant that hazing was over; if not, more days of morning serenades and inside-out clothes were in order. But whatever the outcome, the rope pull was always one of the most colorful and better traditions on campus.

For the last few years, however, the rope pull has degenerated into a complete farce, and not a very well planned farce at that. Members of the opposing teams have lined up 150 men when only 50 were called for; they have tied the rope to trees, telephone poles and even jeeps; and have even gone so far as to drain the water out of the college pond in order to turn the whole affair into one sloppy, mismanaged mess.

We would like to see Saturday's rope pull become a real contest and not a repetition of last year's fiasco. If the Maroon Key can keep to its promise made this week and see that their rules are observed, and if the members of the freshman and sophomore classes will go to it in better spirit, perhaps the rope pull can become a real campus tradition again.

New Matters to be Voted

We are pleased to note that the Student Senate in its first meeting of the semester has shown its awareness of a varied list of campus problems. More, it indicated a readiness to immediately set about finding remedies for the troubles, both major and minor, which it will meet in the next year.

The measure, passed at this meeting, concerning the method of choosing members for the Student Life committee presents a definite improvement. Allowing, as it does, for the popular election of members for this important group the proposed amendment is more in keeping with the stated democratic aims of our student government. We expect to see this change approved without difficulty when it is voted on by the students in the primary balloting for class officers on October 17.

Mention of voting recalls the fact that the senate at this first meeting was convening under the terms of the old constitution inasmuch as the revised constitution which was offered to the student body last spring failed to be accepted simply because there were not enough people voting. That sorry occasion saw almost unanimous acceptance of the constitution by some 1200 people at the polls, but the new document could not be accepted because the total vote was some thirty ballots short of the fifty per cent of eligible voters required for acceptance.

This is a poor showing. I should not be repeated, neither in the class primary elections nor in the finals when the new constitution will again be handed to the voters.

"Ball and Chain" Four New Officers Name of New Club Join UM Mili Unit

The newly organized Ball and Chain Club yesterday began a membership drive which is expected to enroll about 100 campus families.

At its organizational meeting last Tuesday evening the club elected officers and stated its purpose was to provide social activities for married students and their wives. First of the projected activities of the new group is a dance to be held on October 29th in Men's Hall.

Officers elected were: Chairman, Zane Bower; Secretary, Claire Coogan; Treasurer, Eleanor Rolland.

Members of the club yesterday began a canvass of the five housing areas.

Lewis R. Adams, Lt. Col., armored cavalry, asst. prof. military science and tactics.

John G. DeHorn, Lt. Col., USAF, prof. of air science and tactics.

David C. Hale, major, USAF, asst. prof. of air science and tactics.

Maurice O. Scarle, captain, USAF, asst. prof. of air science and tactics.

**Russia Develops Atomic Power—**

Starting with this week's story on the Russian atom power development, THE COLLEGIAN will inaugurate a new policy of presenting, in each issue, a report on the most important news events of the week. This article, on what we consider to be the most important news story of the week, will be followed, in the coming weeks, by a report of day to day happenings in the national and international news picture.

We realize, that to some of you, this news will be dearer than the proverbial doornail; and yet we feel, that for others who do not see a newspaper everyday, this column can serve as a valuable reminder that there are important things happening outside the university community that deserve our interest and attention.

President Truman announced last Friday morning that Russia has at last broken the United States's monopoly of atomic power.

Most of the other statements expressed the fact that atomic knowledge was the sole property of no country and that it had been recognized that Russia would sooner or later be able to develop an A-Bomb. The reactions of the national top authorities on atomic energy stressed the belief that Russia probably had only one atomic bomb, and was not yet ready to wage a full-sized atomic war, if such a plan contemplated.

No Change in Policy

The announcement indicated that the historic event would result in no change of this country's or the western powers' policy on international control of atomic energy.

In a speech Friday before the United Nations General Assembly, Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky, echoed the western powers' desire for unconditional prohibition of atomic weapons and rigid control of atomic energy. Vishinsky also asked for a five power pact among the United States, France, China, Britain and Russia, to insure "the strengthening of peace".

We all know there is a difficult traffic problem here on the campus during school hours. I am sure that the student drivers would gladly stick to the rules if given half a chance to do so without the aid of dire threats!

Everyone else on the campus has been trying to establish a congenial team of fellow members in this fine university.

Are the cops on the opposing team?

(Signed) Lloyd E. Sinclair Mills House 321

DEDICATED TO THE CLASS OF '53

(Song to the time of "Lucky Old Sun")

Up in the morning, out at dawn,

Look like the devil all day,

And the "Moron Key" has

nothing to do,

But always has plenty to say.

Put on your beanie, hang on that sign,

Give candy and smokes away.

We sing like hell 'till we're

blue in the face,

But none of us gets any pay.

Lead us to the pond, throw us

in the drink;

Drag us through the muck

and the slime,

But what do we care; it's

something to do . . .

We're having a hell of a time.

Words written by:

David Allen, '53

Bob Wells, '53

Room 402

Butterfield Hall

Found

One woman's wrist watch. Owner may identify and claim at Alumni Association office, Memorial Hall.

Senior Class Larger Than '39 Enrollment

The 1170-member senior class of the University of Massachusetts to-day is larger by 22 students than the total undergraduate enrollment of 1939. Prior to 1946 the highest undergraduate enrollment—1261—was in 1940-41.

Words written by:

David Allen, '53

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Room 402

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BEAT NORWICH



"HE KEEPS MUMBING SOMETHING ABOUT REGISTRATION AND LAST NAME FIRST AND MAKE OUT THREE OF THESE."

THOMAS F. WALSH

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UM Students Voice Much Disapproval Over Meal Ticket-Dining Hall Plan

Once again in the news is Draper Dining Hall, and students have given their opinions on the new meal-ticket system, which means that they buy a five-day-per-week ticket for a whole semester. Following are views expressed by some of the Draper diners:

Janet Ball '51: "It's an advantage for the student as far as we are concerned."

Emilie Moxon '52 and Phyllis Bean '52: "Under this year's system you pay for meals you don't eat, especially if you don't have a class until 9 or 10 and don't want to go to Draper at 7 for breakfast."

R. G. Nickerson: "This year we are paying three dollars more per week under the new plan."

Under the chairmanship of Prof. H. N. Stapleton, head of the department of Agricultural Engineering, plans are now underway to present a full program to the homecoming alumni.

The Gunniss Laboratory is one of the best equipped engineering laboratories, according to Dean Marston who visited numerous engineering schools during a trip to the west coast this summer.

Meanwhile, top Congressional leaders have called on President Truman to seek a conference with Stalin for the purpose of discussing major points in the East-West cold war.

In top circles, reactions were varied, but for the most part calm. Senator Brian McMahon, author of the Atomic

Peace Plan, said he was "not too worried."

Both Johnson '51 and Nixon '51 said they would like to have handle both the meal tickets and money. It is especially inconvenient because a student is apt to be short of money by the end of the week."

Ruth Johnson '51: "If you have classes directly before and after lunch you spend most of your free hour in Draper in line and eating. On those days you could go to a handy diner except that you would feel that you were paying for your meal twice."

John Nianakis '50: "Under the present semester meal-ticket plan you pay a standard breakfast rate, while one may want only a cup of coffee."

Marjorie Rice '51: "I prefer last year's system because you pay only for the meals you eat. I should think they might use this semester ticket plan, but it would cover only two meals a day, since so many do not eat breakfast or do not want to eat until after 10 a.m."

Housed in the Gunniss Laboratory is an Electrical Machinery Laboratory and an Electric Circuits Laboratory installed under the supervision of Prof. Norman E. Wilson, a Materials Testing Laboratory under Mr. James P. Coffey, a Hydraulic Laboratory under Prof. Merritt P. White, a Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Laboratory under Prof. Chester H. Wolowicz, and an Internal Combustion Engines Laboratory under Prof. John H. Dittfach.

The concert schedule will include three performances here, with the remaining engagements to be presented in other parts of the state.

Those who wish to play in the band, but who are without instruments, should contact Mr. Schabas in the Music Office in Memorial Hall.

SCA Sponsors Dance for Frosh Saturday

Freshmen will be provided the opportunity to get acquainted at a dance to be held Saturday night under the sponsorship of the Student Christian Association.

Square dancing and ballroom dancing will be featured at the fair from 8 to 12 in Memorial Hall. Paul Chauvel, '50, will call the squares and provide the music.

Cards will be provided for those who wish to play bridge. Refreshments will be served. Upperclassmen desiring to attend are welcome.

Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert Woodside and Rev. and Mrs. Arnold Kensteth will chaperone for the evening.

The S.C.A.-sponsored affair is under the direction of Ted Parsons.

Friday, September 29

MEETING, Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30 p.m.

CONFERENCE, Massachusetts Bankers Association, All day.

MEETING, University Committee on Student Life, Chapel, Room C, 7:30 p.m.

MEETING, Radio Station Organization Meeting, Chapel Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.

UM Home of Champions (Horses That Is)

Did you know that there is a tiny streak of cow college left in the old school.

Have any of you been slumming lately—down on the farms—or do you still choose to forget the past of our esteemed college? Did you honestly know we owned one of the great Percheron stallions in the country? Konopacar II, better known as "Chubby", was grand champion stallion at the Eastern States Exposition last week.

For the freshman, untouched, untried, unshaven, with the mould of secondary schooling still clinging to his fuzzy little cheeks, Registration is a new crossroads into life. Average Frankie Frosh's introduction to Registration is standing outside the Phys Ed cage for hours in an exasperating simile of a slow motion Ring-around-the-Rosie game. Despite Milton's claim, this waiting only serves as a chance for all frosh to gaze in awe at those lofty pillars of campusity—the seniors.

Sad Time

For the upperclassman, this waiting is ameliorated by the consoling fact that he can look around with a leer at some early rising woman he's been cheating on all summer. All Frankie can do is to survey the crop of relative beauties and sadly remember that the girls who come to college are those who couldn't grab a man in high school.

Finally (finally is adverb of time denoting passage of two hours) Frankie gets to the beginning of the line where he is met by an array of signs urging "Take two", "Take five", "Take ten". So he takes ten of each and

ENGINEERING
LAB

Scene in Gunnus
Lab as members
of the engineer-
ing department
inspect equip-
ment used to
measure the
strength of mate-
rials. The new
building was
opened for use
this semester,
and is one of the
additions in the
U of M construc-
tion program.

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Live Reptiles, Monkeys, Turtles
In Odd Sideshow At Fernald Hall

By Clare Tally

Step right this way, folks, for a most fascinating show right here on campus under our very own noses. If you are like about half the population you may never have seen the inside of Fernald Hall, which houses said collection of wonders. Huckster L. M. Bartlett will lead the way and the first stop will be the exhibit cases directly inside the door of the Zoo building.

Among the mounted birds are representatives of all the major fields, along with such interesting birds as the Mexican jacana whose long claws enable him to skip away from his enemies via lily pads and whose enemies are defeated by pointed spurs on his wings; the Cormorant, which the Chinese used to say with, and the beautiful Scarlet Ibis.

Nature recreation and zoö majors are planning to design an exhibit for the front cases on the theme "Birds of Amherst." Passing birds, winter birds, year-round birds, and summer

birds will be shown in their natural habitat. Mark Sagin and Bill Randal have done much to plan this exhibit.

This collection is for research not for display on the whole, according to Mr. Bartlett. Among the species used for research are the vertebrates of Massachusetts and New England. Most of these were collected about 1850 and boast such specimens as the Hell-bender, Shark sucker, and the sturgeon.

Reptiles, Too

The Sphenodon, only living representative of a group that has been extinct for over 150,000,000 years, is preserved from export in New Zealand but it just so happens we have the only one in the United States. Don't get the wrong idea, it was brought in in 1900, before that law was made.

In this laboratory there are also several living snakes which were said to have escaped only once.

Upstairs, there are older displays containing such oddities as white crows, Taucans, peacocks, and the peregrine of the barnyard chicken the jungle fowl. Huge sea turtle shells are set atop a case of snakes, among which is a mounted Cobra.

And, ah, yes, they are not to be outdone by Men Hall, for there is a genuine wolf mounted. Monkeys are also present. But to get back to exhibits, forms, there are three passenger pigeons which are worth \$75.00 each.

In the last ten years, 5,000 specimens have been added, and it is hoped that more will be collected when and if more space is provided.

WAA Playday
The Women's Athletic Association held its annual playday for freshman girls Saturday afternoon at Drill Hall. Tennis, archery, softball, volleyball, field hockey, and swimming gave each girl an opportunity to participate in at least one event. An individual manager led each sport.

After an hour of games and fun, cider and doughnuts were served.

The W.A.A. board were introduced; each manager gave a summary of the activities in her sport for the coming year.

If this year's crop of gals is an example, the U of M will certainly turn out an enthusiastic group of girl athletes as the years roll by.

State Gets 2 Million
In Returns from U of M

The University of Massachusetts turned in about 40 per cent as much money to the state treasury last year as the state appropriated for this school.

The University contributed \$1,800,312 to the state during the fiscal year ending last June 30, according to Treasurer Robert D. Hawley's annual report. During this period state appropriations for operating expenses and capital outlay totalled \$4,580,580.

During the past two years this institution has turned in a total of \$3,121,765 to the state. Most of this income was derived from student tuition, board and room charges.

Sig Ep-Chi Omega ...

Many will remember that Sig Ep gave Chi Omega a hand last spring after the fire which consumed part of their sorority house. The girls, appreciative of this gesture, have accepted the first opportunity that came their way to show their willingness to help, and their friendship for another campus group laboring under difficulties.

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DEAN'S LIST

This list includes the names of students whose averages for the college year 1948-1949, second semester, were 80 per cent or higher.

GROUP I.
AVERAGE OF 80-100 PERCENT

Class of 1949

Akron, A.
Balise, D.
Beck, M.
Bodurtha, J.
Bunley, C.
Pond, P.
Geff, G.
Hall, R.
Kinsman, D.
Matthews, M.
Mozden, P.

Class of 1950

Brown, H.
Delovorvas, T.
Drewinsky, P.
Gagnon, P.
Gould, W.
Gunn, S.
Hattin, D.

Class of 1951

Bamford, A.
Cohen, J.
Diamond, D.
Isenberg, E.

Class of 1952

Allen, H. III
Burrows, N.

GROUP II.
AVERAGE OF 85-90 PER CENT

Class of 1949

Allison, M.
Bastow, M.
Beal, M.
Blumenthal, F.
Boddy, R.
Bourne, P.
Brattin, S.
Brown, A.
Buckley, D.
Chapman, F.
Church, R.
Cohen, J.
Cook, E.
Copeland, J.
Crowley, R.
Cynader, E.
Czajka, R.
DeCarlo, J.
Dirks, S.
Doe, P.
Dominick, J.
Elias, J.
Ellis, R.
Elwell, D.
Emrick, R.
Eriksson, A.
Fishman, R.
Flynn, J.
Fortinato, L.
Fox, T.
Fraser, J.
Gardiner, L.
Gibbs, I.
Godin, E.
Greene, L.
Grot, C.
Harmon, L.
Henry, J.
Higgins, W.
Hirshon, P.
Holloway, J. Jr.

Class of 1950

Baker, R.
Barstow, A.
Beauvais, R.
Brock, E.
Chen, L.
Colodny, P.
Crone, S.
Devine, E.
Dobras, A.
Durant, J.
Foglia, C.
Gaitenby, W.
Gerstein, E.
Goldin, D.
Gray, L.
Green, J.
Gochberg, S.

Class of 1951

Bennett, J.
Berger, M.
Bruoso, A.
Cope, E.
Cole, C.
Covert, T.
Demoinoff, W.
Diamond, E.
Dick, E.
Farkas, R.
Fauteux, M.
Ferson, J.
Flaherty, B.

Class of 1952

Hinds, C.
Kelsey, I.
Kinney, J.
Kolovson, B.
Kosick, E.
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World Federalists

A meeting of the United World Federalists will be held at Old Chapel Room B tonight at 7:30 pm.

Promotional new members are cordially invited to attend.

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HERE'S THE WAY—Pat Smith shows Nancie Phillips and Ann Gibbons how to hold the lumber for best results at the plate during the girls' playday last Saturday. Your reporter was unable to observe the result of the instruction. With such coaching it must have been terrific.

Photo by Kosarick

Class Officers ...

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in ink by at least 20 registered students, stating clearly the name, address, and class of person nominated and the office to which he is nominated. No student may sign more than one nomination petition for any one office. A student may sign nomination petitions only for the officers of his own class."

These petitions must be given to Walter S. Foster, Chairman of the Election Committee or deposited in the Senate mail box outside the Senate Room in Mem Hall before 5 p.m. October 11.

A referendum on the adoption of the revised Constitution of the Student Government will be included on the final ballot. This revision was overwhelmingly approved last spring but could not be adopted because one half of the student body, as required for constitutional amendment, did not vote in the election.

Candid UM Dance ...

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after the rally.

Music for the dance will be furnished by members of the University music circles, featuring Felix Buba and his trumpet, with Ezra Shabas, alto sax; Tony Zaita, tenor sax; Al Hixon, drums; Walt Abrams, piano; and Brad Collins, trombone. Between dance numbers, the sextet will offer a jam session intermission.

Jane McElroy, '51, will be social chairman. Tickets will be under Barbara Lewis, '51, lights under Wid Hart, '50; and publicity under Gine Leccese, '51.

Building Program ...

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supplied by non-public sources.

Building Parallels Other Expansion
The accelerated building program parallels an increase in all other phases of the U of M scene. The new dorms and laboratories will help accommodate the largest frosh class in the history of this institution. In the future the incoming class will reach 800, even more than this year's 600.

Forty-two new faculty members were added to the teaching staff this semester, bringing the total of active professors to over 300.

Stockbridge Has Record Year

In keeping with the record breaking tendencies at the U of M this year, the Stockbridge School of Agriculture came up with its largest enrollment, with 475 students registering this week.

An approximate enrollment of 300 in the graduate school also establishes a new high in that department. 30 foreign students are included in the number.

Rally ...

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No Metawampe Yet

This year as yet, no Chief Metawampe has been designated, but Joe Dillman, master of ceremonies for the affair, states that someone will probably be elected to replace "Shanty John" Conlon before the second rally. Members of the Class of '53 will be herded together in one group during the rally and the members of the Maroon Key and the Scrolls.

Parade Route

Starting in front of Butterfield at 6:30 p.m., the parade will descend Butterfield Hill by way of Chadbourne, turn up Butterfield Terrace at Mills, pass Kappa Sigma, then go right up North Pleasant Street to the Second Experimental Station, turn left, and march up into Bowker Auditorium.

At Bowker, the program will open with a medley of school songs played by the University Band under the direction of Ezra Schabas. Then, everyone will participate in traditional school cheers led by the renovated cheer leading team. Master of ceremonies Joe Dillman of Adelphi will then introduce to the school Mr. Warren P. McGuirk, new director of athletics, Tommy Eck and his assistant coaches, and members of the varsity football team.

After a series of cheers and songs, the rally will move across the field from Bowker to the bonfire built by the Varsity M Club, where it is planned to end the rally in a giant snake dance.

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Freshman Class

The 600-member freshman class of the state university will almost certainly be the only class of 600 that will ever be admitted. This is the first year in which the University has jumped from its 400 quota on the entering class, and next year and thereafter the University will admit 800 freshman annually—or approximately two for each high school in Massachusetts.

Handbooks

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Rope Pull — A Tradition Again

It was the sophomore class which won the rope pull last week—there was no tying of the ropes to trees or telephone poles, no draining of the college pond, nor was there the confusion which made last year's tug-of-war laughable.

The Collegian congratulates the Maroon Key on the efficient way they handled the event. Rules were followed; there was some way of knowing when the contest was over and who won, and although the sophomore line looked a bit more numerous than the freshman one, we will take the Maroon Key's word for it that they were evenly matched. All in all, the Maroon Key and the members of both the freshman and sophomore classes have helped get one of the best campus traditions on its feet again.

Another Fire

We wish to mention here the splendid bit of work turned in by the residents of Federal Circle both during and after last Thursday's fire in the McKenna apartment. Not only did the people from nearby homes do a quick and efficient job of putting the fire out, but the entire group of Circle dwellers joined in contributing to a fund which will help the family overcome its losses in clothing and damaged furniture. This gesture deserves a hand.

In holding the fire to one room, the firefighters were working against the odds. There have been cases where an entire building of the lightly-constructed type found in the Circle has been completely destroyed within fifteen minutes. This fire points up the fact that there are quite a number of wooden buildings on campus, including the many in Federal Circle and several classroom buildings. The Chi O fire last spring and the loss of the engineering building two years ago, together with this latest blaze should serve as all the reminder needed in the matter of fire prevention.

Two in a Row . . . *Continued from page 1*
touchdown win. And the Norwich team which whipped us 27-19 last year is little if any stronger than the team which has just been trounced 54-0.

To sum up, it looks like this may be a U of M year and we take this opportunity to wish the team luck as it continues to prove it Saturday at Worcester.

Remember, that is Worcester not Waterloo.

Fire . . . *Continued from page 1*
flame then spread quickly to the walls, furniture, and clothing in the room.

Cries of the child brought quick assistance from his grandmother, Mrs. Eugene McKenna, who had been staying a week's visit at the apartment. When the fire broke out, Mrs. McKenna was in the living room attending the younger of the two McKenna children, Donald, 2. The child's mother was out of the apartment at the time, making a phone call.

Injury Not Serious
Michael was saved from serious injury by his grandmother's prompt action. Examination later revealed he suffered only slight burns on the hands and right thigh.

Smoke pouring from the room brought the cries of the residents living in nearby apartments. Six or seven of these emergency firefighters hurried to the McKenna unit armed with the fire extinguishers which are standard equipment in all of the lightly built, highly inflammable Circle apartments.

Forced to vacate the apartment while repairs are being made, the family has been living at Hampshire House during the past week but expects to move back this weekend.

Mr. McKenna reported to the Collegian this week that other residents of the Circle have been generous in contributing to a fund which will aid the family in replacing the losses.



Collegian Profile No. 24

Marston—Expert Public Engineer

By Lloyd Sinclair

Heading the Engineering School, one of the largest and fastest expanding schools of the University, Dean George A. Marston has placed himself in the position of a man everyone knows of but few know anything about. Herewith we disclose all!

In the Beginning . . .

Dean Marston was born in October, 1908 at Montague City, a well-known hamlet near Turners Falls, Mass. After completing his high school education at Turners Falls in 1926, he earned his college degree at Worcester Polytechnic Institute in 1930. Taking time out from desk work for two years, he worked with the Turners

Line Crashers

We eat in Draper. We are "mad" at the freshman girls for crashing the chow line. It's unfair. We have all been guilty of crashing the line one or two at a time, but not a dozen at a time. The Scrolls are falling down on the job. One good informative sign in Draper would be of more value than the bins, waste baskets, and teddy bears.

What do you think?
W. D. Malouf
D. L. Babbitt
R. Bennett
Curt Loper
Al Rafa
and other honorable
unfortunate

(Editor's Note) Can this be true?
Secretary? Get me Van Meter.

Drill Team, Band At Worcester Sat.

The women's Drill Team and University Band will be on hand for the U-M-Worcester Tech game on Saturday, reported Doug Footit, director of the noted women's drilling unit.

The girls' group consisting of 48 marching coeds, will go on the field at the half to perform numerous precision movements and to form the traditional letters.

Six squads of girls instead of the usual four will greet spectators of Saturday's football contest. This, Footit remarked, will make for a more compact-looking unit.

Both Band and Drill Team are expected to fall in after the game for a friendly march back to the athletic field.

Members of the group explained to the newcomers the various types of work available in the production of the play.

The part of the meeting program was

the showing of technicolor slides of three previous Roister Doisters plays: *Berkley Square, I Remember Mama, and Joan of Lorraine*. Some of the scenes from these productions were reread by the original members of the casts.

Roister Doisters' Meeting Brings 200

Some two hundred interested students attended the first meeting of the year for the Roister Doisters, campus dramatic group, held last Thursday night at Bowker Auditorium.

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Directed by Deputy Chief George Taylor, five firemen finished the job, using breathing apparatus in order to enter the apartment which was filled with smoke containing dangerous fumes from the pyrene extinguisher.

Possible Disaster

The blaze was confined to the one room, thus averting a disastrous fire which might easily have spread through the five other apartments in the long, one-story structure.

Among the Circle residents who aided in fighting the fire were Mrs. Roscoe Spooner, whose next door apartment was threatened by the fire; Fred Anderson, John Federico, John Hull and Bill Lutti.

Though the fire was held to one room, the McKennas suffered considerable loss, especially of furniture in the room. Smoke also added to the damage through the whole apartment.

Forced to vacate the apartment while repairs are being made, the family has been living at Hampshire House during the past week but expects to move back this weekend.

Mr. McKenna reported to the Collegian this week that other residents of the Circle have been generous in contributing to a fund which will aid the family in replacing the losses.

The volunteer group had the fire under control when two trucks of the Amherst fire department arrived.

DEAN GEORGE A. MARSTON

Falls Power and Electric Company or the Cobble Mountain Power Development. The depression was hitting hard at this time and the University of Wisconsin seemed a likely spot to wait it out and at the same time to prepare for his master's Degree. One semester spent at Wisconsin and one year at the University of Iowa, Iowa City, enabled him to secure his mas-

ter's degree in Hydraulic Engineering, his thesis on "Rainfall Characteristics of the Conn. Valley" won him his professional Engineers Degree in 1949 from W.P.A.

Navy Instructor for 2½ Years

Dean Marston taught at the University of Mass. until September, 1943 when he was granted a leave of absence to enter U.S. Navy. He taught at the Anti-Submarine Warfare Unit at Newfoundland, at the University of Redlands, Calif., and at Dartmouth, New Hampshire. Returning to this campus in 1947, Dean Marston set up his home with his wife and two children, Robert and Peggy, at 28 Kellogg Avenue, Amherst, where they now reside.

Time Out For Pleasure

Despite rumors to the contrary from the Landscape Architecture Department, an engineer does have time for fun as Dean Marston has proved. Dean Marston plays a good game of tennis and enjoys this sport most. Mountaineering is next on the list of preferred sports and just recently he spent ten days on Mt. Princeton in the Green Mountains, Vermont. It is a good way to get away from it all anyway! Dean Marston does have lots to get away from by the way.

Aside from his numerous duties as Dean of the Engineering School, he has full teaching schedule of engineering courses. But the dean never too busy to smile and say hello in that friendly manner which makes him so very much a part of the cordial campus life.

The first business of the meeting was the selection by the members of the

play to be produced in the fall of the year.

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Dr. Thomas pointed out that the sole criterion for help was regardless of the political or religious affiliations of the students involved. The need is greatest, he said, in Asia, rather than Europe. Unlike the situation in Europe, the relief needs of any other group. It is the only student faculty welfare organization which earmarks its resources especially for students struggling to gain an education against almost insurmountable odds of poverty, disease, and famine.

Stresses Needs In Asia

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Russians Train Leaders

The part the Russians have played in this program is to recognize the nature of the revolution and the need for leadership. Dr. Thomas pointed out that they have thousands of the most intelligent Asian nationalists sent them to Russia for periods of up to ten years for a program of communist training, and then sent them back to lead their people. The program has had great success in China, French Indo-China, and North Korea, and is also working well in Japan.

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Thelma Litsky, president of Isogon, is in charge of the tryouts. Interested persons should contact her at SITD.

All entries should be made before November 15th to be eligible for con-

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THE HOUSE OF WALSH

THOMAS F. WALSH

UM Profs to Judge Rising Russian Influence in Asia

WMLSP Contest

The House of Walsh has made every effort to keep pace with your expanding University. New larger stocks of the type of sport jackets and suits the College man wants—We have even named a model for you—Betty Coed has not been overlooked either—from Slackers to sweaters.

Five University of Massachusetts faculty members will be judges in the annual high school yearbook contest of the Western Massachusetts League of School Publications, it was announced recently by Prof. Charles DuBois, yearbook adviser to the league and English teachers here at the University.

Prof. DuBois will judge the plan of the yearbooks. Miss Leonta Horrigan, English teacher, will judge layout. Prof. Robert Lane of the English Department will judge editorial coverage.

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SPORTS



Hapless Norwich Eleven Buried, 54-0, As Redmen Romp To Win

Beaumont and Anderson Pave the Way For Eckmen's Second Grid Victory

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The aroused Redmen dominated the play throughout the first half and scored twice more on runs by Feinman and Ev Johnston before the timer's horn called a cessation to the "hostilities," with the Redmen out in front 20-0 at the halftime.

Bud Estelle kicked off for the home club to usher in the second half and after the Norwich attack bogged down, the Redmen took over and proceeded to set sail for pay dirt. After a series of running plays had brought the locals to the Norwich 35 yard line, Andy took a handoff from Gleason, faded deep to his left and tossed a long pass to Beaumont, who nailed it in the 20 yard line and sped the rest of the way for a T.D. Rogers brought his educated toe into play and the Eckmen led 27-0.

McManus Goes 60 Yards

The fourth and final quarter found the UM doubling the score. Coach Tommy Eck cleared the bench in this stanza yet the outmanned Cadets were unable to stem the tide. Feinman, Pyne, Benoit and McManus all scored in this period with Rogers adding three out of four conversions to place the total at 54-0. The highlight of this period was McManus' electrifying 60 yard runback of a punt for a touchdown.

It would be virtually impossible to single out any one man for special praise. Coach Eck and his staff presented a highly competent and well drilled squad that simply rode the opposition into the ground. Barring injuries, the like of which hampered the club last season, the current edition of the Redmen should provide stern opposition for any, and all, the teams listed on the schedule this year.

The Lineups:

MASSACHUSETTS
Ends: Burd, Holden, Holmes, McCarthy, Freling, Burgess.
Tackles: Crannell, Finnigan, Jensen, Friend, Flanagan, Cunningham.
Guards: Moran, Lait, Franges, Lampman, Silas, LaRocca.
Centers: Smith, Johnson, Kendrick, Backs: Damon, Belakoff, DiSalvo, Psalidas, Contini, Aschenbach, Cutler, Gilroy, Costello, Givens, Arbanas, Swift, Cottrell, Score by Periods

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Massachusetts 14 6 7 27-54
Touchdowns: Anderson, Feinman 2; Johnston, Beaumont, Pyne, Benoit, McManus. Points after touchdowns—Rogers 6 (all placement kicks).

SUMMARY

MASSACHUSETTS—G. Gunn; RF. Embley; LF. Francis; RH. Hatch; CH. Carew;

NORWICH—L. F. Krahmer; E.H. Fischer; CH. Rumf; L.H. Setel; RO; Anderson; RI; Canes; CF; Phillips; LI; Smith; LO; Burlein. Substitutions: Anderson, Lord, Hopkins, Monroe, DeLorenzo, and Ente.

Scoring: Winton 4; Lit, Smith, and Burdin 1.

Looking Things Over

Wreck Worcester

Clough Suffers First Defeat As UM Nips Huskies, 25-33

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The U of M is making her contribution in the field of research. This year the staff of the Massachusetts Agricultural Station here will be comprised of approximately eighty-five full-time research scientists. The announcement was made by Director Fred J. Sievers in reporting the addition of six new research appointments. The newcomers are Dr. Stephen B. Hitchner, Dr. John M. Dickerman, J. Robert Smyth, Carl D. Brundt, Gilbert Reising, and Edgar Collins.

Louie Clough, ace of the UM cross country squad, saw his consecutive streak of 18 firsts in dual cross country meets broken abruptly last Saturday at Franklin Park as the UM scored a decisive, 25-33, win over Northeastern. Despite Clough's relocation to the unfamiliar runner's slot, coach Llewellyn Derby's harriers placed six men in the first nine in avenging their only loss of the '49 season, being beaten by the Huskies by one point last year.

In the Franklin Park meet Northeastern started twelve runners, whereas the UM sent only eight men to the post. The field was fast at the outset with the Huskies grabbing an early lead, but the Redmen, led by Clough, tracked them down on by one over the 4½ mile course.

Hitchner vs. Newcastle

Dr. Hitchner, recently acquired from Virginia Polytechnic Institute, was named research professor of veterinary science. His work will be centered around the study for a method of vaccination to immunize chickens against the dread Newcastle disease, which is usually fatal to infected poultry. There is a great economic concern throughout the entire country because of this malady.

Dickerman U of M Grad



Mr. Dickerman, a U of M graduate comes to us from the Hygiene Laboratory at the University of Michigan where he received his PhD. He will continue his study of rural sanitation here as assistant research professor of bacteriology.

Turkeys Too Large?

Mr. Smyth, assistant professor in poultry husbandry, will delve into the problems of turkey breeding not only to make a more virile breed, but to make the turkey more suitable for some consumer use. Turkeys have become the by-word for Thanksgiving and other festive dates. They have not been a propos for home use because of small ovens; besides anyone can tire of eating even turkeys six days a week. The practice of selling quarter or half-turkeys has not proven very satisfactory.

Stockbridge Aggies Ready For Opener with Monson

Mr. Speer, research instructor in poultry, will participate in the research on breeding properties under F. A. Hays.

Most of the Experiment Station staff serve as research workers on scientific phases of agriculture, with the remainder serving economic, marketing and sociological phases.

Sixteen staff members will be engaged in feed, fertilizer, and seed control law and regulation services to the Massachusetts Agricultural Station and four will be engaged in research in the new Dutch Elm disease laboratory.

"M" Club Notice

Bob Pasini, President of the Varsity "M" Club announced that the club will hold its first meeting of the year Thursday, October 6 in the Phys Ed building, Rm. 10, at 7 o'clock. All lettermen are cordially invited to attend.

Class Cuts

To clear up any confusion concerning the system of cuts, Dean Hopkins has issued the following simplified statements:

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Photo by Tague



The ALMOST perfect play—UM's Russ Beaumont finds it easy going behind the effective blocking of his mate as he rolls through the Norwich defense. Despite the blocking, the Norwich defender on the left counted for and he made the tackle. Ha! Feinman (nose guard) and Art Baar (46) are caught leading the play. Other UM players: Gleason (65), Speck (33), Pasini (43), Roth (39) and Nichols (56). Photo by Tague

and plenty of capable backs and appear at this writing to be able to more than hold their own on the gridiron.

Looking forward to next spring, Al Stevens has called a meeting of ALL candidates for the Varsity golf team, to be held tonight. Due to a late start and a full schedule, it has been decided to try and hold qualifying rounds in the near future. In the past, candidates have been mostly from the two upper classes and Stevens has aimed this meeting especially at the freshmen and sophomore golfers.

The times in this UN win are: 1. Kenyon (N) 23:53.2; 2. Clough 24:10.0; 3. Cesar (M) 24:39.8; 4. Zappi (N) 24:49.5; 5. Phinney (M) 25:30.0; Hart (N) 25:18.0; 7. Funkhouser (M) 25:38.0; 8. Godin (M) 25:18.0; 9. Hopkins (N) 25:38.0; 10. Hoffman (N) 26:11.0; 11. Pugh (M) 26:16.0; 12. Fredrickson (N) 26:16.0.

Stockbridge Aggies Ready For Opener with Monson

Beaten only once in six starts last year, the Stockbridge men will return to avenge that lone loss when they stack up against Monson Academy next Wednesday afternoon.

Monson defeated the Aggies last fall. Over the remainder of the season Stockbridge won four and was stalemated, 0-0, by Wentworth Institute. The schedule:

Oct. 7 Monson Academy at UM
11 Nichols Jr. College at Webster
21 Wentworth Institute at UM
29 Vermont Academy at UM
Nov. 4 A.I.C. Frosh at Springfield
11 Collegiate School at UM

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RED HOT RALLY—An enthusiastic crowd romps around the towering bonfire at the pre-game rally last Friday night. The cheerleaders (check the gals) do their bit for the cause. Note: score of the game, 54-0 U' M.

Photo by Tague

Mary Lou . . .

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last year, I figured that in order to write a story about Devens men I would have to find a few of them. That was in lesson two (Or was it lesson three?). Well, I asked somebody where the transfers could be found, and they said something about Pestalozzi's or Galadurice's or something like that, and pointed in the direction of Pinchurst, which is the town right near the campus.

Two Very Nice Men

It must have been my lucky day because as I was walking along the road a very nice man in a green Studebaker stopped and asked me if I wanted a ride. I thought that was mighty neighborly of him so I got right in the front seat. Another gentleman in the back said that there was plenty of room back there but I said that I was all right where I was, thank you. The nice man who was driving said that he was a former Devens man when I told him what I was doing. The man in the back seat said, "Never had nothing like this back at the Fort, did we George?" and laughed kind of a funny laugh. We were passing by the Paternity houses just then, and I guess he must have meant that they didn't have Paternities at Devens College.

Well, this George was just the cutest little old thing, he wanted to take me all the way out to some place called the Quadrangle Hut, but I told him no. I had to find a place called Pestalozzi's and interview some Devens men. He said, "Why don't you interview me, Baby?" (Why nobody's called me Baby since papa-daddy died years ago.) I asked him what he thought of the school and he said that he was an agricultural major with a minor in Grassing. I guess that's some special fodder-growing course that is very popular up here.

Car Door Troubles

I found the place I was looking for (I had just the most terrible time getting out of the car, there was no door handle on my side and George had to go all the way around and open the door from the outside) and then I discovered that the name of it was Barsoff's. It's some kind of a soda shop where many of the men students go to study and discuss their classes. I must have interrupted a conversation because when I walked in somebody said, "Boy, some class, eh!" I think he was talking about his French class or something because then somebody said something in French. At least it sounded like French.

The Cutest Little Things

Well, the boys were just the cutest little old things. When they found out what I wanted, they all gathered around a little table and answered all my questions. They bought me

Chi Omega Girls WMUA Toils into Wee Morning Hours; Redecorate House Meets Saturday Broadcast Deadline

By Jim Powers

A week and a half before the scheduled opening of school, the girls of Chi Omega sorority returned to campus to begin repairs on their fire-damaged house. To come back to a charred building, completely devoid of all furnishings would be discouraging to most girls, but the Chi O's were prepared to tackle the re-decorating of their home with energy and spirit.

The main building improvements are on the third floor, where the fire started. The woodwork has been painted white instead of its original natural wood finish. The window in this room has been enlarged, giving added light to the now cheerful boudoir. Another newly built section is the attic, where two rooms have been converted into studies, the ceilings have been finished, and the wood-work has been painted silver.

All of the rooms have been repainted to suit the tastes of their occupants. On the second floor, where the larger rooms are, the hallways have been painted pale aqua, and new light fixtures have been installed. The senior room is pink with gray furniture and bright draperies with rosebud designs. In the junior room yellow walls and green furniture are matched with colorful Bates spreads and drapes. The most striking room on that floor is the sophomore's with its soft blue walls and contrasting vivid red curtains and white beds, desks, and dressers.

The small rooms on the third floor have all been painted pastel shades. The girls wish to thank the many fraternities for lending a helping hand in moving the furniture from the garage and aiding in other capacities. After the next home game on October 15, Chi Omega will have a coffee hour, at which time everyone will be invited and welcome to see the rejuvenated house.

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I told them I would rather have a Dr. Pepper, like papa-daddy used to give me, and somebody went over to the soda fountain and asked this very nice lady who was there to give me one. I heard her say, "A Dr. Pepper? What do you think this is, Shumway's?" So they brought me another cherry phosphate.

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Well, I didn't feel very good the next morning. I felt like I did when I caught yellow fever out at Colonel Jackson's plantation at Lake Pontchartrain. It was the most peculiar feeling. I guess those Yankee cherry phosphates don't agree with little old me.

I Get Gassed

I'm sorry I don't remember about what went on, but the twenty cherry phosphates made me kind of gassy and I didn't feel very well.

About 11 o'clock the housemother of my dorm came in and she was quite pleased to see that the boys had taken such a shine to me. I don't remember exactly what she said, but I know there was a lot of talking going on, and she took the names of Boyd Allen, Greenough 221.

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SCREEN SCHEDULE
Mon. thru Fri. 2:00, 3:30, 8:30
Sun. Cont. 1:30 - 10:30
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STARTS THURS.
OCT. 6 **"TOP O' THE MORNING"**
Bing Crosby - Ann Blyth - Barry Fitzgerald

SUN. - MON.
OCT. 9 - 10 **"ROSEANNA McCLOY"**
Farley Granger - Joan Evans
Hathfield's and McCoy's

TUES., WED.,
THURS.
OCT. 11 - 13 **"STORY OF AN UNWED MOTHER"**
"NOT WANTED"
Sally Forrest - Keefe Brasselle

WALT DISNEY'S
"DUMBO"
OCT. 7 - 8 **"SALUDOS, AMIGOS"**
Batman and Robin, Chap. 15

SUN. - MON.
OCT. 9 - 10 **"WHITE SAVAGE"**
Maria Montez - Jon Hall - Sabu
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To a guy whose sole technical ability in the radio field consists of pushing buttons and turning knobs, the prospect of writing a feature article on a radio station is a dismal thing indeed. I stood for a moment gazing skyward at the tiny station perched among the pigeons on the roof of Devens last spring. Bill Burgeson and Fred Carlson, with faculty adviser, Prof. Smith, hauled the equipment from WFDM back to Amherst.

Then the boys got together and took stock. Their decision was to redesign and rebuild the whole works. But there was a financial fly-in-the-ointment. The station's budget stood at eight hundred dollars — about enough for the equipment alone.

You can guess the rest. Everyone rolled up his sleeves and dug in. During the summer, a master console was built, a control panel was built, a public address system was installed.

Every bit of technical work was done by the men themselves. The control room was wired by Jack Hayes, Carl Cutler and Al Belgard. The radio booth and public address system down at Alumni Field were set up by Bob Cox, Dave Meltzer, George Doyle, and Irv Wasserman. Harold Shriber and Bob Small created the transmitter. Cox and Ed Fiorelli built the turntable desk. Soon the boys expect to create facilities for the broadcast of microgroove recordings.

Making deadlines is child's play for the gang up in WMUA. They have overcome obstacles that might confound the most obstinate, and have remodeled their station so that it ranks with any in this part of the country.

The first step in this tremendous renovation job began with the closing

of Carmen's former husband. Prior to the Stevens revolution, Carmen was usually sung by some zaftik minnesinger with a powerful voice but the stage presence of "Choo Choo" Justice on an off-tackle smash. This was good solid opera in the old tradition but it strained the credibility of the paying customers somewhat.

Then came Rie Stevens. When she danced onto the stage singing "Habanera" and making goo-goo eyes at Don Jose, the poor corporal would have been a fool not to give up his stripes and head to the hills and highways.

Carmen is not the only role to which Miss Stevens has brought her charm nor is charm all that she has to offer. Recognized as one of the best mezzo-sopranos of the day, she has spent many years of study in this country and in Europe, and has appeared in operas and concerts from Cairo, Egypt, to Buenos Aires, Argentina.

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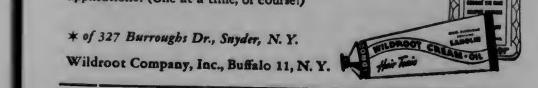
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I cause He Flunked The Finger-Nail Test



LOOK AT Sheedy all puffed up with pride. And to think that only last week he almost croaked when he found he couldn't pass the Finger-Nail Test. Then a friend put him wise to Wildroot Cream-Oil hair tonic. Now he's the big noise on the campus. Non-alcoholic Wildroot contains Lanolin, keeps hair neat and well-groomed all day long. Relieves annoying dryness, removes loose, ugly dandruff. So if you haven't switched to Wildroot, better hop to it right away. Get Wildroot Cream-Oil in bottles or tubes at your nearest drug or toilet goods counter. And don't forget to ask your barber for professional applications! (One at a time, of course.)



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Senate Approves S. L. C. Revisions

Changes in election rules and student body representation in the Student Life Committee composed the highlights of the Student Senate meeting held Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m.

Chairman Walter Foster of the Election committee stated that Senate representatives from each dormitory will preside over the ballot boxes at the time of the class elections. These same representatives will also help to count the votes, and will be better represented.

After a lengthy discussion, it was decided that the representatives from the Men's and Women's Dorms should be independents, and that the committee should be placed with the Married Students' group. By taking this action, the Senate believes that the student body as a whole, will be better represented.

Senate Elections . . .

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unit to select the candidates they wish for Senate election, as no formal nominations are required. The freshmen are the exception to this rule, as they are required to make a speech before the voters to announce their candidacy.

Dr. Vernon P. Helming then gave an explanatory talk on the organization and functions of the Student Life Committee. He stressed the representative balance between the independent and the Greek students.

SCA NOTES

Dr. Winburn Thomas, noted educator and writer on Far Eastern affairs, will be the featured speaker at a joint SCA-Hillel meeting at Hillel House on Friday at 8:00 p.m. All interested students and faculty members are cordially invited to attend and meet Dr. Thomas personally.

Freshman Reception

SCA's second reception for freshmen to "meet the faculty" will be held next Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Skinner Hall Reception Room. Among those present to greet the class of '53 will be President and Mrs. Van Meter.

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Boys' Hazing . . .

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Something New Added*

This year, however, the frosh injected some novel activities into the proceedings. One evening last week a freshman appropriated a Maroon Key hat, put it on a cabbage, and floated it out on the college pond on a raft. Discovered by the Maroon Key, the frosh was pursued back to Butterfield and returned to retrieve the hat.

Rain cemented poured down the hill to his rescue, but not before he had been persuaded to recover the hat and been thrown in the pond for good measure. The frosh gained a moral victory, however, when they managed to get the Maroon Key president at least partly wet in return.

The next day a stuffed dummy was seen hanging from a tree over the sidewalk near Old Chapel with a large maroon key attached. A sign nearby indicated plainly what the dummy represented.

Girls' Hazing . . .

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Dean Curtis stated that hazing was to be conducted with the purpose of welcoming the freshmen and not embarrassing them. She did not want the scrolls to haze the girls in any manner which would make them self-conscious.

The general opinion among the freshmen girls about hazing seems to be one of disappointment. No hazing was conducted by the Scrolls, sophomore girls' honor society, of which Pat Reed is president.

Rally . . .

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Draper, which was blazing ferociously as the rabid roosters started a snake dance around it.

The Norwich-U. of M score certainly proved something. Maybe the rally can claim a little credit in the proof. Let's have a repeat at the next home game.

Rope Pull . . .

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after the freshmen had given him the rush. Key member Davis had already had one mid-fall swim at the hands of the '55ers.

The freshmen class members will be elated to hear that the Maroon Key has announced the discontinuance of beanie-wearing this year. Reason: they have no power to enforce it. The Frosh can now hang up their skull doilies and think of them as one of the first souvenirs of college life.

Research . . .

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Dr. David Bishop, professor of physiology, will continue work this year on a program using radioactive materials to study fertility problems. A \$5000 grant given by the National Research Council will finance this project.

A new grant of about \$5000 has been given to Dr. Julian O. Holmes by the office of naval research. The topic of study is the effect of nutrition on the chemistry of dental decay.

Dr. John Roberts, assistant professor of chemistry, will carry on work on chemistry of rare earth elements through a \$5000 grant, and Dr. R. E. Trippensee will continue his research on wildlife problems.

Director Sievers reported that in addition to these grants, more than a dozen research projects financed by about \$25,000 in grants from industrial firms will be conducted by University scientists during this year.

The experiment station staff, consisting of about 75 full-time research workers, will carry on most of the projects which will be financed by a total of \$750,000 of federal and state research funds.

Fresh Caps

Freshmen boys and girls who lost their beanies at the rope pull Saturday would appreciate it if persons who found any would return them to the Alumni Office in Memorial Hall.

Beanies are of value to many frosh who like to keep them as souvenirs.

—Photo by Tague

NEWS IN BRIEF

SCA Cabin Party

S.C.A. will sponsor its first Cabin Party for freshmen at Camp Anderson this Saturday. Cars will leave the Math Building at 1:30 P.M. and return by 10 P.M.

There is a nominal charge of 50 cents to cover the cost of food and transportation. Freshmen interested please notify the S.C.A. Office by Friday noon.

Lost

A dark green and black striped Sheaffer pencil with a gold band around it was dropped between Geissmann Lab and Fernald Hall on Friday morning, Sept. 30. It is of sentimental value and belongs to a set. Finder please bring to Alumni Office in Mem Hall.

Chest X-Rays

Chest X-Ray equipment will be on campus during the weeks of October 17 and October 24.

All freshmen are required to have x-rays and will be sent appointment cards in the near future. Upperclassmen are urged strongly to have x-rays taken.

The x-ray equipment will be available to students on:

Mondays—1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Tuesdays through Fridays—9 a.m. to 12 noon, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Pi Phi

Pi Beta Phi announces the pledging of Pat Read, Delores Rego, and Ruth Rounseville, all of the class of '52.

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Naiads

Water ballet and speed swimming in the Telegraphic! Naiads offers this and more to the girls on campus. Tryouts for frosh and upperclass girls will be Wednesday, October 13, at 7 p.m. at the pool.

Judson Fellowship

The Judson Fellowship will meet Sunday at 394 North Pleasant Street. Supper will be served at 5:30 p.m. The worship service will begin at 6:00 p.m. Rev. David J. Power is scheduled to speak on Catholicism.

Class Rings

ATTENTION CLASS OF 1950

Class rings will be on sale in Memorial Hall beginning Monday, October 10 from 10-12 A.M. and from 1-5 P.M. The rings will be sold Monday through Thursday at the same hours. A five dollar deposit is required with each ring order.

Sigma Kappa

Beta Eta Chapter of Sigma Kappa Sorority announces the initiation of the following girls on September 25: Jacqueline Buck, Elinor Case, Catherine Cole, Ruth Coughlin, Jane Dockerty, Jacqueline Lynch, Sylvia Kingsbury, Irene Malo, Joann Martinson, Vicki Milandri, Charlene Palmer, Jean Travers, Carol Wright, and Norma Wyche.

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Class Primaries Monday Only 2 Offices On Ballot

Primary elections of class officers for the year 1949-50 will be held next Monday, October 17. For those living on campus, polling places and times will be announced by the senators in the respective dorms and houses. Com-

New Senate To Be Inducted Tonight Five Senators Are Not Yet Elected

Dispute Over Frat Representation Tie for One of Greenough Places

Elections for the new student senate took place last Monday, with all but five of the twenty-nine seats in the senate being definitely decided. A tie for the position as second representative from Greenough, and a dispute over the fraternity representation had not been settled when the *Collegian* went to press.

The new senate will take the oath of office in ceremonies at 7:30 tonight in Old Chapel Auditorium.

Most of the sections reported fairly representative turnouts at the polls, but the freshmen's vote was rather low. The freshmen's vote represented the highest percentage of ballots cast by any of the classes.

Whether the new senate, which will be inducted tonight, will hold office for one semester or for the full year is a question to be decided at the finals of the class elections a week from Monday. Under the terms of the old constitution which is still in effect, the senate can preside for only one semester. The revised constitution, adoption of which will be a special referendum on the class final ballots, provides that the senate hold office for the full year.

The list of new senators and the houses they represent follows: Abbey: Dorothy Fortin, Carol Hinds; Berk-

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DANISH GYMNASTS—Shown above are four members of the Danish Gym Team who will give a performance tomorrow night at 8:00 in the Cage. This unique group is famous for their difficult feats of tumbling and their picturesque folk dances.

Danish Gymnasts To Perform In Cage Tomorrow Evening

Police Apprehend
17 UM Students

Seventeen U of M students were among fifty apprehended by the Amherst police department last Friday night for overtime parking at several of the new meters in the heart of town.

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NORTH PLEASANT STREET SPEEDWAY

A STORY: Once upon a time there was a campus. A nice campus. With trees. And grass. And pretty girls. And a HIGH-WAY. You could cross the highway. If you got up early. In the morning. About three o'clock. On Sunday. Moral: Somebody will get killed, and then we'll have a big safe-driving campaign.

COUNTER-ATTACK IN THE FAR EAST

We wish to call attention here to the talk given by Dr. Winburn Thomas last Thursday evening. Dr. Thomas presented a rather unique proposal which we consider to have a great deal of value as a real means to combat rising Communist influence in the Far East.

The suggestion simply stated is that the United States adopt a Russian tactic which is now proving itself to be that country's strongest weapon in the acquisition of new territories by the Communist Party. Since its inception, the Party has followed the policy of bringing to its schools nationals from the countries which were first on its list in the proposed plan for world domination by Communism.

These students during their stay in Russian universities become thoroughly or partially indoctrinated with the ideas of Communism and having returned to their own countries, many if not most of them become emissaries for the Party. Taking their places as teachers and professional men their thinking inevitably finds its way into the thought of their country, and thus forms a groundwork more effective in the full Communization of a nation than is the use of force.

In the past decade, the number of such students, supplemented by nationals who go to Russia specifically to study Communism, has greatly increased. This is true in Europe as well as in the Far East. The recent Communist successes in China, the noticeable rise of Communist influence in Japan and the East Indies, and in every one of the Far Eastern states can be traced directly to this systematized control of thought.

The Far East is an area where this policy is especially effective, as Dr. Thomas pointed out. The peoples of these lands are in a state of revolution against oppression which has governed them for centuries. They are ready to accept any change, and that which has been offered them first is Communism. Dr. Thomas suggests that we offer them a chance to look at the merits of democracy by bringing Far Eastern students to our universities with funds which might otherwise be directed toward military aid and by a system of exchange between schools in this country and those of the Far East. This is a sensible suggestion and it represents the only effective solution we have yet seen to a problem from which the United States will not be able to walk away.

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to emphasize here the fact that the Worcester game did nothing to disprove the idea that this year's Rel'm team has the basic qualities of a winner.

It outrushed and outpassed the Tech squad and controlled the ball for a major part of the game. These factors ordinarily add up to victory, but the touchdowns which produce a victory still depend quite often on hairbreadth decisions which have little to do with the all-around ability of a team. As an instance, we invite your attention to the picture spread at the top of page four in this issue.

The results of the first three games show definitely that this is a capable team. It has faults certainly, faults which in the Worcester game nullified an otherwise strong attack. Several scoring drives were killed off because the passer wasn't given enough protection, or by a fumble, or because a penalty was incurred which might have been avoided. These and other less apparent mistakes can be corrected. And we think they will be.

When considering the remainder of the schedule we believe that the student body should find no cause for a slackening of enthusiasm. It is our opinion that the Redmen have at least an even money chance in every one of the ball games still to be played. No doubt they will be rated as underdogs in some of them, but after last week, we don't worry about underdogs or favorites.

The time for the greatest enthusiasm and confidence is now. The team will have to be up for the Rhode Island game. That rally tomorrow night is important; it might mean the difference between another victory or a loss. It should be even more spirited than the one which preceded the Norwich game; and that is up to you students.



Collegian Profile No. 25

By Eleanor Zamarchi

Dr. Gamble, Prof. of Many Talents

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SPORTS



IF—IF—IF—Three reasons why the UM was edged by Worcester Tech, 7-6, last Saturday. Photo at left shows UM's Marty Anderson leaping in vain for a pass in the end zone. Center photo has end Bill Looney, (53) just about to tuck away a touchdown pass from Russ Beaumont as he is hit by Worcester's Rick Ferrari (28). Most UM roosters thought that Ferrari hit Looney before he touched the ball and that pass interference should have been called. Shot at right shows another end zone pass just missing as Pyne (60), was not able to handle the pigskin.

—photos by Tague

Redmen Taste First Defeat; "I Don't Like To Lose" Williams' Opportunists Hand Tech Tough In Own Territory ... Warren McGuirk

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spert Holmes late in the opening stanza, the Redmen apparently started to roll. A buck-lateral, Beaumont to Anderson pass combination and some fine running through gaping holes by Hal Feinman brought the ball sixty-three yards from their own four yard line to the Tech thirty-three where a fumble halted the drive.

With seconds left to play in the first half, the men from Massachusetts worked their way down to the Tech ten. Beaumont fired to Looney in the end zone but the ball slithered through Bill's over-anxious hands. Anderson then lunged to the five on a reverse, but on the last play of the half, a Beaumont to Pyne pass just missed.

The hovering figure of fate chuckled knowingly in the massing grayness as the Vikings in the gold helmets tried valiantly to pull the game out late in the final quarter. The four-minute signal had already been given to the benches when, from his own twenty-three yard line, Beaver Beaumont faded and arched a long spiraling shot to Bill Looney streaking far down the field. Fifty yards away, in full stride and a step beyond two defenders, Looney reached high and gathered in the ball on the Tech thirty-five. A quick lateral to Leo Anderson who spurted into the picture from nowhere left Bill free to pile up the grasping enemy as Andy roared for home. The officials had to silence the crowd as Rogers prepared his attempt for the tying point. The pass from center was good, the ball started to rise perfectly directed, but a clutching hand stretched up to stop its flight. Score seven to six.

Worcester Tech ran off three agonizingly slow plays after the ensuing kick-off with fighting Redmen striving to steal the ball. Then time ran out.

UM LINEUP

Ends—Roth, Bullock, Looney, Pyne.

Tackles—Warren, Nichols, Klaiber, Vara.

Guards—Pasin, Bazar, Driscoll, Garvey, Feinberg, Desautels.

Center—A. Estelle.

Backs—Beaumont, Anderson, Feinman, Gleason, J. Estelle, Doherty, Benoit, McManus, Johnston, Gagnon, Drake, Beaulac, Sisson, Rogers.

It was feared that Ape Warren was critically injured when he was carried off the field in the third period. Latest report is that he has a painful muscle cramp low in his back and will be out of action indefinitely.

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MacIver Exhibit Shown in Mem Hall

Ian MacIver of the University's School of Fine Arts is currently presenting an exhibition of 26 of his own paintings and drawings in the recreation room of Memorial Hall. Mr. MacIver, a native of Scotland, studied at Columbia University and has been an instructor here for several years. His works have been displayed as one-man exhibitions in the leading art museums throughout the United States and Canada, as well as in several colleges and universities.

"To put it in his own words, Mr. MacIver's work can best be described as 'simplified selected realism in a non-abstract pattern.'

Mr. MacIver stands well over six feet tall, and his vigorous bearing and ruddy countenance reflect a love for the great outdoors which is apparent in his paintings.

The exhibit features land and sea scenes executed in bold water colors, as well as striking pen and pencil drawings.

MacIver's interpretations of the sea were inspired during his summers at Martha's Vineyard, and many preliminary drawings of New York City originated on the fish piers and boat docks of the lower East Side while the artist was still a student.

He has painted professionally since 1933, with time out during the war for service in army and navy topographic outfits.

Trustees Approve Arts And Science Merger

The unification of the Schools of Arts and Sciences as the College of Arts and Sciences was approved by the Trustees at their meeting of January 19 and is now awaiting the final approval of the State, according to Dean MacIver.

Under the plan outlined by Dean MacIver students will take their first two years in the College of Arts and Science before branching off to their respective professional schools.

Modification of this plan will be made for the various professional schools as the School of Engineering because of the professional standards which must be met by them.

The courses will be adjusted to coincide with the major field selected by the student but the tendency followed by the other higher institutions to place a greater emphasis on a more liberal and well-rounded education will be stressed.

Closer coordination between the various departments will be affected by this unification and will expedite the introduction of any new courses as they are needed in the basic courses.

The consolidation of the two schools is to be an Administrative arrangement and a Dean of the College will not be appointed until funds for the office are approved by the State. For the present, Prof. Rand, acting dean of the School of Liberal Arts, and Dean Alexander are coordinating in supervising the plans of the newly-formed college.

Danish Gym ...

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exhibition is open to the general public at an admission price of fifty cents, tax included.

Seven years ago Mr. Flensted Jensen, director of the organization, made a tour of America with twenty-six boys from Denmark. The group appeared in cities and communities from the east to the west coast. The fine reception accorded them prompted the suggestion of a larger tour this time including girls.

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Interfrat Council To Become Sponsor For C&M Glee Club

The University Chowder and Marching Society, a combination male club and social organization which recently made its appearance on campus, chose its romantic and deceptive name from the popular comic strip *Barnaby*.

The club was chartered by the Student Senate last May, and has recently come under the sponsorship of the Intrafraternity Council. Mr. Tony Zaitz of the Speech Department is the group's adviser.

The Society is interested in getting as new members University men who enjoy singing and good fellowship. Meetings are held on Tuesday evenings at 7 p.m. in Stockbridge Hall, room 114.

X-Rays Next Week

The Dean's office announced this week that all freshmen are REQUIRED to have chest x-rays next week. Four year seniors are strongly urged to report also, since this is the last time that they will have the chance to avail themselves of this service. In addition, time has been set aside for those sophomores and juniors who wish to come to the Physical Education Building during the specified hours.

The schedule follows:

FRESHMEN
October 17, 1949
2-3 p.m. A-Be; 3-4 p.m. Bi-Ch.
October 18, 1949
9-10 a.m. Cl-Di; 10-11 a.m. Do-Ga;
11-12 a.m. Ge-He; 1-2 p.m. Hi-K; 2
3 p.m. L-Mc; 3-4 p.m. Mc-O.

October 19, 1949
9-10 a.m. P-Bi; 10-11 a.m. Ro-Sl;
11-12 a.m. Sm-T; 1-2 p.m. U-Z.

SSA FRESHMEN
October 19, 1949
2-3 p.m. A-De; 3-4 p.m. Di-G.

October 20, 1949
9-10 a.m. H-L; 10-11 a.m. M-R; 11-
12 a.m. S-Z.

FOUR YEAR SENIORS
October 20, 1949
1-2 p.m. A; 2-3 p.m. B-Bl; 3-4 p.m.
Bo-By.

October 21, 1949
9-10 a.m. C-Ci; 10-11 a.m. Co-Cu;

11-12 a.m. D.

October 24, 1949
1-2 p.m. E-F; 2-3 p.m. G; 3-4 p.m.
H.

October 25, 1949
9-10 a.m. J-K; 10-11 a.m. L; 11-12 a.m. Ma-Mc; 1-2 p.m. Me-N; 2-3 p.m.
O-P; 3-4 p.m. Pi-Q.

October 26, 1949
9-10 a.m. R; 10-11 a.m. S-Sn; 11-12 a.m. St-T; 1-2 p.m. V-Z; 2-3 p.m.
and 3-4 p.m. Employees.

October 27, 1949
9-12 a.m. Free time for faculty; and
1-4 p.m. Free time for the University
—also sophomores and juniors.

October 28, 1949
9-12 a.m. Free time for faculty and
employees of the University—also
sophomores and juniors.

Ball and Chain Club
Ball and Chain Social Club is happy to announce that the response to our membership drive has been a hearty one. We now have approximately 100 paid members. HAVE YOU JOINED YET? The drive will be continued next week to enable commuters to join the club.

The first dance, to be held from 8:00 to 12:00 on Saturday, October 29 at Mem Hall, is to be a *Dungaree Record Hop*, and informality is the byword. Refreshments will be served. Please present your tickets at the door.

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Winner Announced In Dorm Contest

The trustees' official naming of the two new dorms—Margaret Hamlin House and Helen Knowlton House—has been announced by President Van Meter.

All undergraduate women were invited to participate in the naming contest, held last spring under the direction of the Senate Committee on Women's Affairs. According to Regie Lawlor, '51, chairman of the contest, competition was instigated to foster interest in the buildings being constructed opposite the Abbey.

The name of Hamlin was suggested by Kathryn Peck, a home economics major in the class of '51. Miss Peck is the youngest of five sisters, three of whom have graduated from the University of Massachusetts. Her selection was made on the basis of Miss Hamlin's service to the college as Placement Officer for Women from 1913-1948. Hamlin House is the dorm directly east of the Abbey.

The other name, Knowlton, was chosen by the trustees, so that both dorms might be named for people historically prominent on our campus. Miss Knowlton was assistant professor of Home Economics from 1948-1949, and her name is the glass fronts of eight more.

Dedication ceremonies will

take place until next fall, though both dormitories will be used to house men this winter. After June Commencement, Knowlton will be turned over to women, and two years from now both dorms will be occupied by women.

The new buildings are part of a quadrigate, which is planned to include another dorm north of Lewis and a women's gym and dining hall. These additional buildings will be constructed in the future.

Demolay Meeting

The Demolay Club will hold its second meeting Wednesday, Oct. 19, at 7:00 p.m. in Room 210 of French Hall. Final plans will be made for the annual picnic, and following the business meeting there will be colored slides and refreshments.

This is to say that there will be no judges present to decide which team wins the debate.

The Debating Society, formed last year by Francis Pado, met so late in the season that members were unable to organize a program for the rest of the season.

If our Debating Team excites enough student interest this year, the University of Massachusetts may join the debating league which includes Mount Holyoke, M. I. T., Suffolk, or Anne McLaughlin, G-4 Federal Circle.

Special groups, including work basket, knitting, bridge, swimming, and crafts were formed for the year. Any student wife interested in joining one of these weekly groups should contact Irmae Jones, H-3 Suffolk, or Anne McLaughlin, G-4 Federal Circle.

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Vets' Wives Plan UM, Mt. Holyoke New Name for Club Schedules Debate

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The refreshment committee includes Mildred Pettingill, Miriam Wiman and Maxine Burne. On the program committee are Geneva Weidhaas, Mary Lois Kelleher, Lorraine Butler and Dorothy Harrington.

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Murder . . .

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U-Store . . .

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News In Brief

Agronomy Club

The Agronomy Club will hold its meeting next Thursday at 7:30 P.M. in room 204, Flint Laboratory. A movie entitled "Quality Milk Production" will be shown. Refreshments will follow.

Political Union

The program for the year for the Animal Husbandry Club was outlined by President Henry Trimble at the first meeting held in Bowditch Lodge. The discussion will start at 7 p.m. in room C in Old Chapel. Everyone interested is invited to attend.

Pi Phi Pledging

Pi Beta Phi announces the pledging of Joan Conlin and Joy White, both of the class of '52.

French Club

The first meeting of the French Club will be held on Wednesday, October 19, at 7:30 P.M. in Old Chapel Room C. The officers are as follows: President, Alex Carron; Vice President, Louis Cushing; Secretary, Millie Warner; Treasurer, Tom Reed; Press agent, Anthony Douglas.

All non-Phi Ed majors are invited to attend.

Cuts

Students on academic probation are allowed NO cuts regardless of class. Last week's article on the cut system contained a typographical error.

Pic Appointments

Seniors who do not receive picture appointments by October 18, please contact Phyl Cole at Sigma Kappa.

It is suggested that at least a few residents of each dorm where a Ben-dix is installed be present at this instruction.

LOST

An Avion wrist watch with sweep-second hand and expansion bracelet. Finder please return to the Alumni Office in Mem Hall.

Psych Club

The Psychology Club will meet tonight at 7:30 in the Liberal Arts Annex. Dr. Wallace will speak, and refreshments will be served.

Sore Early

The locals took command in the opening minutes of the first period and were never headed. After An-swee-kick off to start the fray, the visitors were unable to gain. Redmen took over and immediately set their sights on the "Rhody" line. Al Bazar, who played up ball all afternoon, recovered visitors fumble and the Redmen on their way. With Benoit, man, and Andy showing the Eckmen advanced the ball.

Continued on page 4**rat Conference****alls for Removal****of Restrictions****... IT'S MY CIGARETTE!"****Barbara Stanwyck****TARRING IN****"THE FILE ON THELMA JORDON"****A HAL-WALLIS PRODUCTION****A PARAMOUNT PICTURE****... IT'S MY CIGARETTE!"****Class of 1950****Class of 1951****Class of 1952****Class of 1953****Class of 1954****Class of 1955****Class of 1956****Class of 1957****Class of 1958****Class of 1959****Class of 1960****Class of 1961****Class of 1962****Class of 1963****Class of 1964****Class of 1965****Class of 1966****Class of 1967****Class of 1968****Class of 1969****Class of 1970****Class of 1971****Class of 1972****Class of 1973****Class of 1974****Class of 1975****Class of 1976****Class of 1977****Class of 1978****Class of 1979****Class of 1980****Class of 1981****Class of 1982****Class of 1983****Class of 1984****Class of 1985****Class of 1986****Class of 1987****Class of 1988****Class of 1989****Class of 1990****Class of 1991****Class of 1992****Class of 1993****Class of 1994****Class of 1995****Class of 1996****Class of 1997****Class of 1998****Class of 1999****Class of 2000****Class of 2001****Class of 2002****Class of 2003****Class of 2004****Class of 2005****Class of 2006****Class of 2007****Class of 2008****Class of 2009****Class of 2010****Class of 2011****Class of 2012****Class of 2013****Class of 2014****Class of 2015****Class of 2016****Class of 2017****Class of 2018****Class of 2019****Class of 2020**

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THE INFIRMARY QUESTION

During the past few weeks we have listened to a considerable amount of criticism concerning the services offered by the college infirmary. Some of these critical comments deal with problems which seem to have a basis of fact; others of them present arguments which are based on which is misapprehended.

We're not prepared at this writing to discuss the validity or lack of validity of these claims voiced against the infirmary. Before we attempt such a discussion we want to see more evidence. The means of obtaining this evidence is what we speak of here.

It is established there is at least some question as to whether or not the infirmary is doing a proper and thorough job in providing diagnosis and treatment of student ailments. What we want to know first is—How widespread is this question? Is it confined to the small number of students we have heard of or a substantial part of the student body have similar complaints? The Collegian can obtain a partial answer by asking individual students, but it cannot, by this method, obtain nearly the amount of information needed to give this question the airing it needs.

We want to get the discussions about the infirmary out of the coffee shop and the dormitories and onto the front pages where everybody can see them, where the entire campus has a chance to evaluate what is being thought and said. If this matter can be brought out in the open it is possible that pertinent, definite facts can be obtained to determine whether or not the infirmary service is efficient to the extreme required in such a vital department.

Letters Needed

We are speaking here to individual students: If you have a complaint about the infirmary we want to see it in the form of a letter. If you have favorable comment we want to see it in a letter. If you have anything at all to say about the infirmary, we want you to write us about it. Obviously, we cannot print all the letters we ask for, but we can print some of them, and everyone of them can be used as a source of information. That information is needed.

WORLD NEWS IN BRIEF

Washington, Oct. 10. Looking forward to the adjournment of Congress, White House leaders today issued a "box score" on the record of the 81st Congress. The President's legislative program was termed "a remarkable record of achievement," with big successes in foreign affairs and the domestic field, despite serious defeat in labor and civil rights.

Washington, Oct. 11. The widely traveled Prime Minister of India Jawaharlal Nehru made his first visit to this country today with the hope that the United States and Indian governments would enter into a relationship that would result to the "mutual advantage" of both and the "good of humanity."

Hong Kong, Oct. 13. Canton, the provisional National Capital for the past six months, fell peacefully last night to the Chinese Communist armies. Meanwhile, the arrival of Communist forces at the mainland borders of the British Crown Colony of Hong Kong was awaited.

London, Oct. 16. The Greek guerrilla army has ceased operations "to avoid the total destruction of Greece." It was announced today over the Free Greek Radio in a proclamation by the Communist controlled Provisional Greek Government. However, the guerrillas say that they have not disbanded, and Athens claims that they are reorganizing in Albania.

Washington, Oct. 13. The House investigation of Navy charges against unification continued today as Admiral Louis E. Denfeld, the Navy's highest ranking officer and a member of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, accused Secretary of Defense Johnson of proceeding against the "spiri-



BRICK BATS

Dear Editor:

In last week's issue I noticed that when questioned about the crowded conditions at the Book Store, Mr. Hawley replied that there is "no other way to handle it." This answer seems to me to be indicative of the attitude of several members of the administration when faced with the problem of coping with increased enrollments and modern educational conditions.

I would venture to say that there is nothing in the administration of this university, or any other aspect of life in general, that could not be done in another and perhaps improved manner. Anyone who does not believe this must be extremely provincial and unimaginative.

Plain criticism, however, will not help the students who must waste valuable time waiting in line or who may even get off to a weak start in an important course because of inability to procure a needed textbook. Therefore, I will give what I consider to be one solution of the problem.

Cage As Bookstore

I suggest nothing less than the use of the cage as a self-service book store on the two days following registration. At that time there are plenty of desks and tables available which could be arranged to form counters, each to be piled with the books required for courses in certain departments, signs designating departments having been left from registration.

Students could enter at one door, pick out their own books according to their book cards, present the books and cards to a cashier by the other doorway, pay the necessary amount, and leave.

Expense Offset

There could be several cashings at various doorways, some of them handling cash sales, others taking care of veterans' sales. Of course, extra help would be needed to supply the books, keep the counters filled and watch the exits, but I believe this expense would be more than offset by a shorter total time required to supply all students with books and a correspondingly greater satisfaction on the part of the students.

Books for highly specialized junior and senior courses could be sold at the regular book store at the same time, and perhaps all engineering supplies could be sold through that department. Other details, such as delivery direct to the cage of certain shipments, might also be arranged, but please don't anybody say that nothing can be done about it. This problem will increase rapidly as the enrollment increases and some solution must be found.

Walter S. Foster, '52

Dear Sir:

It is indeed nice to know that Mr. Donald P. Hawley has worked out such an original solution to the problem of avoiding crowded conditions at the bookstore during the early semester rush.

However, to those students who find it rather difficult to hand in homework two days after classes start without any books in which to study, his suggestion that we wait until the queues disappear sounds a little as though he wished we would all flunk out. That in itself might solve the problem, but is such a drastic procedure necessary?

One wonders what insurmountable obstacle prevents the bookstore from being open from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M. on weekdays as well as from 8 A. M. to 12 noon on Saturdays, at least during the first two weeks of the semester.

Please, Mr. Hawley, won't you

Collegian Profile No. 26

by Judy Broder

Coach Eck—Former All Eastern Center

Professor Thomas W. Eck of the Department of Physical Education, head coach of the football team, and advisor of the Varsity "M" Club, is better known to all students as Tommy.

He was born on March 29, 1914, in Allentown, Pa., where he attended Allentown High School and Allentown Preparatory School. After a sojourn at another prep school, he then went to Colgate University, receiving

them 6-6, he used both Stockbridge and four-year students on the team which had a record of 2-1-1. During the war, he also coached varsity basketball and baseball as well as junior varsity basketball.

When former coach Walt Hargreaves returned from the service in 1946, Mr. Eck once more became coach, only to ascend again to the position of head coach the following year. Besides his activities on the field, he teaches classroom courses in secondary school physical education and football, baseball, and basketball coaching theory.

Enjoys Traveling and Gardening

His traveling has been confined mostly to scouting for future athletes and to attending conferences of the American Football Coaches Association and the National Collegiate Athletic Association.

His hobbies are numerous and diversified. During the war he became interested in gardening, to which he devotes a great deal of time. He also spends some of his spare moments studying the techniques of motion pictures and playing golf. While at Colgate he was president of his senior class and of his fraternity Lambda Chi Alpha, as well as a member of the Interfraternity Council, the dramatics club, and freshman baseball and basketball teams.

All-Eastern Center

He was a member of the football squad and was chosen all-Eastern center. He was also a member of the Eastern College all-star team which played the New York Giants in 1938. He is very proud of the Varsity "M" club, a coming organization, which has already awarded a portion of its scholarship although it has been functioning for only two years. He is happily married and father of two boys and two girls. He says with regret, "During the fall ball season, I see my wife for about a half hour each day since I leave home around nine o'clock in the morning and return any time from midnight on. I have to wait until the war is over to get acquainted with my family."

During the 1945 season he was acting head coach for the first football team after a two year lapse due to the war. That year, the last time we played Amherst College, tying

the A.B. degree in 1938. That year he attended the summer session of Springfield College, and in 1944 he received the degree of M.S. From this school, which was then Massachusetts State College.

Held Various Coaching Positions

His first job after graduation from Colgate was at Northampton High School, where he was not only the director of physical education and coach of football and track, but also a teacher of biology, his college major. After four years as a high school teacher, he came to Massachusetts State College in the fall of 1942 as a line coach.

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pick out their own books according to their book cards, present the books and cards to a cashier by the other doorway, pay the necessary amount, and leave.

RALLY HORSEPLAY—Representing the Redmen in a skit given at the rally last Friday night, Frank Sottile delivers a surprise blow to the solar plexus of Bill Massida who played the part of the Rhode Island team. Giving a running account of the action is Harold Markarion who acted the dual role of announcer and referee.

THE MASSACHUSETTS COLLEGIAN, OCTOBER 20, 1949

THOMAS F. WALSH

Amherst is known as The College Store — There is definitely reason — why be satisfied with something almost as good? There is no substitute for Quality.

Guinness Engineering Lab. Dedication Saturday Will Be Preceded by Guided Tour Of Building

Van Meter to Speak; Ceremonies at 10:45

The formal dedication of Guinness Engineering Laboratory will take place this Saturday, Oct. 22 at 10:45 a.m., George A. Marston, dean of the School of Engineering, announced this week.

The program will be one feature of Alumni Homecoming Day on the campus and it is expected that large numbers of former students will attend the ceremonies.

The principle speaker will be James Scott, president of the Van Norman Co., Springfield, Mass. Other speakers include a representative of the Commonwealth and President Van Meter, speaking for the University.

Identified by names pertinent to their respective departments, the faculty has once more taken to the alleys.....but merely to howling alleys, where keen competition takes place each Monday night. With five persons on each of the fourteen teams, the league plays a schedule which will last until next April. The season term will begin with a banquet, and prizes are awarded to all winners.

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SPORTS

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Rhode Island Handed Fourth Loss As Redmen Whale Heavier Foe 32-19

Final Period Rough; Marked by Flurry of Fists in Dying Moments

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to their opponent's 25 yard line and subsequently scored on a pass from Benoit to Phil Roth. Rogers conversion was wide and the locals led 6-0 with the game only a few minutes old. The remainder of the first quarter found the heavier Rhode Island club resorting to passes in an attempt to tie up. Just before the end of the quarter McManus intercepted an errant R.I. pass and the locals began a sustained drive that didn't cease until Hal (Shaper) Feinman had scored the second touchdown of the afternoon on a smash over his own right guard. Andy's extra point was no good and the score stood at 12-0.

Two Minutes to Score

It took the aroused Redmen just two minutes to score their third touchdown. Ray Beaupre intercepted a pass deep in Rhode Island's territory and dashed 24 yards for the tally of the day. This time Mark Rogers had the range his kick sailed high and true and Massachusetts led 19-0.

After receiving the ensuing kick-off the visitors began to fill the air with passes. On their best offensive efforts of the day they marched more than 70 yards for a score with Monroe crossing the Remen's goal line after receiving a pass from Underhill who proved to be the visitor's best back from an offensive viewpoint. The PATD was wide and the Redmen led 19-6 at the half.

The third quarter found both clubs battling on fairly even terms. The home club tallied again just before the end of the session on a pass from Beaumont to "Big" Bill Looney who made a nice grab of the oval in the end zone. Rogers brought his educated toe to play, and the Redmen again enjoyed a three touchdown advantage.

The wild and woolly fourth period kept fans on their feet for the greater part of the game. Both teams played hard and rugged football, and the Redmen "outfought" their opponent from "bell to bell." Mass. scored again in this period on a pass from Benoit to the ever reliable Marty Anderson, who made a spectacular catch of the ball with several of the "Rams" looking on in dismay and wonderment. R.I. counted again in the waning moments of the game on a pass from Underhill to Wright. The game ended with the Eckmen having possession of the ball in Midfield.

Tom Chaffey Leads Golfers in Trials

Led by co-captain John "Red" Winton, the Briggs-booters boasted for the U.M. golf team after shooting a 36 hole qualifying round at the Mt. Holyoke (The Orchards) golf course last Thursday. Twenty-four candidates, including five aspirants for the freshman team, turned in morning and afternoon rounds over the stiff South Hadley layout.

Last year, operating on an informal basis, the UM golfers compiled a creditable 4-2 record in dual matches and the prospects this season appear even better. This year will see the U.M. booking a full schedule and operating as a varsity sport for the first time in university history.

Coach Al Spellman has voiced high hopes for a very successful season, citing the fact that the team lost only two men from last year's team, Bob Joyce and Bill Buckley. The team has also been bolstered considerably by Ralph Mitchell and Ed Rogowski, Rogowski having been one of the mainstays of the Devens teams for the past two years. Also pointed out by Spellman were the scores, which indicated a capable, well balanced club. For a best ball score during the qualifying rounds Anderson and Mitehell lead the UM golfers, posting 74's, and the highest of the next six scores was only six strokes behind the leaders.

Present plans call for a twelve man squad, later to be cut to ten. Since only six men compete in the dual matches, losers in their respective matches will be open to challenge by the four alternates. Those qualifying were:

1. Tom Chaffey, 2. Ralph Mitchell, 3. Ed Rogowski, 4. Ray Demo, 5. Ed Anderson, 6. Ralph Amero, 7. Joe Steede, 8. Charles Reynolds, 9. Ken Bullock, 10. "Bud" Czelusniak, 11. Ed Beauregard, 12. Herb Butler.

The Schedule:

April 18 Springfield

24 A. I. C. home

May 26 Yale away

May 5 Connecticut home

Springfield away

8 Clark away

13 Williams ? away

22 Trinity away

Date not set Yankee Conf.

Orono, Me.

Date not set N. E. Inter.

Watertown, Mass.

That was essentially a team victory there can be little doubt, but the linemen, notably Klaiber, Nichols and Bazar stole some of the lime-light generally reserved for the guys that lug the mail. On the basis of his performance against the Rams, big John Klaiber was more than filled in for the injured Bob Warren, sidelined after the Worcester game, and should ease Tommy Eck's worries about tackle replacements.

Just for the record—after three games, not including the R.I.S. game, the Redmen rank second in the nation among small schools in stopping the running attack of their opponents. Bates, Norwich and Worcester Tech were only able to average 81.3 yards per game on the ground. The only small college in front of the Redmen in this department is Occidental College in California, which, in two games, had held the opposition to a mere 110 yards gained on the ground, or an average of 55 yards per game.

While still in a bouquet throwing mood, this would probably be a good time to hand a few plaudits to Tom McRoberts, who in conjunction with Al Spellman organized and ran off the qualifying rounds for the neophyte U.M. golf team with nary a pitch. Tom has devoted a great deal of his own time and effort in getting the ball rolling, which has finally ballooned into the first women's golf team to represent the U.M.

Bill Looney (53), UM end, breaks into pass from "Beaver" Beaupre in the end zone to give the Redmen a 19-6 bulge in the third quarter. The UM whaled Rhode Island State 32-19. Photo by Tague



That familiar Clough victory smile (18 firsts in 20 meets) is flashed again as Louie leads his mates in a lopsided cross country win over Worcester Tech.
Photo by Tague

From the Wigwam

by Joe Steede

The more than 2500 fans who took their chances with the weather last Saturday at Alumni Field were well rewarded for their efforts and saw a good football game—even though the visitors from Rhode Island, realizing that they were outclassed on the gridiron, attempted to take the championship back with them as a sort of consolation award.

It was a healthy omen to see the Redmen apparently unruffled by their tough loss to W.P.I., and have them bounce back and hand the men from the Little State their fourth loss of the current season. Coupled with this was the fact that this U.M. win helped to stave off the sting of the one touchdown losses sustained by the Eckmen to Rhode Island State for the past three seasons.

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Rock Rochester

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First Defeat For Derbymen; Toppled by Williams, 25-29

Clough, Cossar Finish 2-3 Over Slow Course

Booters Win Two; Belt Clark, W.P.I.

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Last Friday afternoon at Williamstown the Derbymen suffered their first defeat of the season in a close meet with Williams College, 26-24. Williams coach Tony Plasky advised his course by saying "We have a good course here. It includes sidewalks, roads, a ravine, hills, golf course, a path through the woods, and our regular track all in 3 miles in the shortest, allowable inter-collegiate varsity cross country course." The course was a slow one, may be seen by comparing Kelso (W) winning time of 20:4 against Williams with Clough's (M) winning time of 18:56 at W.P.I., both courses being 3½ miles.

Through the assistance of Miss Bamsberg and Mrs. Sweetman, both of the Home Economics Department, the WMUA studio at South College has been redecorated.

Joint Drama Shows to Start

After shutting out Clark on their home grounds last Tuesday afternoon, the booters journeyed to Worcester where they piled up a four to nothing lead in the first half and went on to win 5 to 1, with the Techничians avoiding a shutout in the last canton.

Winton scored two of the goals and the other co-captains, Lynn George scored one. The other two goals were scored by Kulas and Hatch. Thompson averted the whitewash when he scored for Worcester.

THE LINE UP:

Massachusetts	Worcester Tech
Spiller, g	g. Sisser, Martin
Embler, rh	rh. W. Horton
François, rh	rh. Hodnett
Hoschell, rh	rh. Leonard, Seidel
Hatch, ibh	ibh. Elizabeth
	ibh. McWhorter, Palmer, Vigne
	or. Adam
Kulas or	Mr. Fulman, Margo, Dennis
Feireria, ir	or. Thompson
Winton, cf	or. Schmitt, Harold
Libescha, il	or. Horatio, Neil, Roberts
Jorge, ol	or. Beach, Davis

Clark Game

Tony Ferriera started the scoring at 2:05 of the first session when he pounced one in from the right of the goal mouth. A minute later he countered again with a line drive from twenty-five yards out but an offside nullified the effort.

At 10:35 of the same period Gerry Gerrard dribbled cleverly down the left sideline, faked a Scarlett defender or out of position and passed in to Red Winton who tucked it away neatly in the netting. A forty-five yard attempt by Fitzgerald of the Redmen barely missed after the face-off for the past three seasons.

The scoring was as follows: 1. Clough (M) 20:14; 2. Cossar (M) 21:14; 4. Wilson (W) 21:28; Delany (W) 21:35; 6. Phinney (M) 21:40; 7. Doris (W) 21:55; 8. Fankouser (W) 22:18; 9. Es (W) 22:10. Hopkins (W) 22:26; 10. Haskell (W) 22:26; 12. Pier (W) 22:56; 13. Olstad (W) 23:04; 14. Duran (M) 23:29; 15. Collins (W) 23:16; 16. McAlion (W) 24:54.

The third and final Massachusetts score came on a Joe Lit to Captain Jorge pass with Jorge nudging it in from a few feet out. From this point on Coach Briggs substituted liberally, but the fresh reserves failed to add to the winning total.

Meanwhile, goalie Spiller of the Redmen was having a boring afternoon. He had only one real save to make in the first half and three in the second, a tribute to the fine defensive

work of fullbacks Twardus and Embler.

Besides the scoring stars, those who stood out included Chet Thomas and late-comer Phil Dean. The latter played briefly but was a stick-up.

The Briggsmen have now beaten Union and Clark and Worcester and lost to Dartmouth and Williams Saturday, Connecticut at Storrs.

For the social life," the slight year-old student said, "there is campus life in Munich. One either has room or commutes. Socialities are restricted to members in private sports clubs in the city. Occasionally, there are student dances, and once a year we have a dance.

"Education Differ

"Educational systems differ greatly between the two countries," he stated. "German education is strictly specialized. As a student, I was allowed to take courses in law only. For my purpose, the American system of education with its broad aspects, has more to offer.

"The German universities attempt to be supporters of a democratic way of life in their homes.

"They were screened for political affiliations by Military Government officials. Final selection was made by the American educational institutions in cooperation with the Institute of International Education.

Dance Band ...

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other events. A jazz concert à la Kenneth and Gillespie is being planned for the Holidays of Music in December.

According to precedent, a jam session, consisting of Dixieland, swing and hop, will be presented during the evening.

Tomorrow's dance will begin at 8:00 o'clock, at Drill Hall.

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LOST: Dark shell rimmed glasses

—no case—on the walk from Stockbridge Hall to the parking lot near Clark Hall. Please return to Admissions Office.

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Columbia Records UM Square Dances As Students Watch

The WMUA staff was approached last week by Mr. Fred Julian, Boston representative of the Philip Morris Company, concerning the supplying of WMUA with more broadcasting material.

Transcriptions and recordings and the feasibility of live shows were discussed by Mr. Julian's of the WMUA staff. However, any company would be of non-commercial value.

Plans are being carried out by the WMUA recording studio in New York City recently played host to a group of students from the University of Massachusetts, who saw an album of square dance records being made.

The album was compiled by Mr. Lawrence Loy of the University, and it will be released sometime in November throughout the nation. A Columbia photographer took pictures of the students as they executed some of the steps, and these pictures will appear on the cover and inside of the album. This should help to put the U of M on the map.

This album is the second one that Mr. Loy has done for Columbia. His first Columbia album was made years ago, the first of its kind, and it was instrumental in the spread of the popularity of folk dancing.

These ladies offered much aid in the purchasing and making of new drapes for the station-in addition to holding the interior decoration of the studio.

Joint Drama Shows to Start

Bob Morgan of the Production Department of WMAM, Amherst College radio station, has been working with George Doyle, Head of the Production Department of WMUA, in an effort to institute joint reciprocal dramatic presentations over the two radio stations.

Saturday, October 29, the radio station will go on the air in a test broadcast of the U of M University game Saturday in order to broadcast the event back home through the courtesy of WMUA. However, this broadcast will have nothing to do with WMUA broadcasting for the U of M campus.

Extensive auditions are being carried out for all those who have expressed a desire to become members of the announcing and production staffs of WMUA.

There are now approximately one hundred and fifty active members of WMUA radio station. This does not include the number who have joined this year.

WMUA will go on the air officially Monday, October 31. Why not start keeping your radio dial tuned to 650 every evening.

The station will also be open for inspection on Homecoming weekend, October 28-29. Why not start keeping your radio dial tuned to 650 every evening.

The musicians who played for the folk dances may be known to some of the U of M students, for they are the same group who played at the Babette at the end of summer school.

The musicians who made the trip are members of the Heymakers Square Dance Club here at the U of M. The leader of this club is Paul Channel, and the faculty advisors are Miss Hubbard and Mr. Loy, Professor Sargent Russell, of the Agricultural Economics department, provided transportation for the trip.

Some of the dance patterns used were worked out by Paul Channel and Gordon De Wolf, a graduate of the class of '49, during a trip to a folk dance camp in Wheeling, West Virginia.

New Senate Chooses Officers; Elections Finally Completed

Howard is Elected Senate President

The last meeting of the 1948-49 Student Senate took place at Skinner Hall last Thursday evening, and was followed by the installation of the newly-elected Senate.

During the brief meeting that took place former Election Chairman Walter Foster announced the names of those representatives of the new Senate.

Confusion was in evidence when it was found that one of the men running for fraternity representatives, does not, although he is a member of a fraternity, reside in the house.

The re-elections held Monday night resulted in the official fraternity representatives being Martin Flynn of Lambda Chi, William Less of TEP, and Jack Benoit of Kappa Sigma.

The Greenough tie for its second representative was decided in favor of Ned Campbell, it was announced by the new Election Chairman Phil Gilmore.

Walter Foster reported at last Thursday's meeting that married students will choose their representatives October 25.

Foster also stated that the nomination for class officers were received Tuesday and that two of the candidates had to be stricken from the ballot because of duplicate signatures on more than one nomination.

These two students were Russ Beaumont and Bill Looney, both of Kappa Sigma.

Why would you believe it, I was sipping tea yesterday afternoon with a mutual acquaintance at a local tavern—they call it the Lord Jeff—when suddenly a loud shout of whooping and noises of carousing rent the air. I didn't know what on earth to do. The rumpus seemed to be at the other end of town—down at the Aggie school.

My friend and I hopped into my 8-cylinder job (gracious, there I go again; using that horrid university dialect) and sped off in that direction. It seemed that a band of hideous Indians were scalping an innocent flock of sheep on some athletic field, for there were continual shouts urging that the Redmen scalp'em. The natives must have emerged victorious, for minutes later, someone shouted hilariously, "Redmen 32, Rams 19." Oh, well!

New Constitution Revisions Proposed

At their final meeting last Thursday, the out-going Senate approved three additional revisions for the already once-revised constitution. This document is to be voted on next Monday, October 24, and a majority of 50% of the eligible voters are needed to ratify it.

In Article II of the new document, Section 20 was changed to provide for the setting up of a committee for the National Students' Association. This section states that at least two members of the committee shall be members of the senate, and brings the activities of NSA under the student government.

Section 6 of Article III makes new provisions for aspirants to class offices. Candidates for class office must secure a petition with signatures of at least five per cent but not more than ten per cent of the class.

It has been considered that the past qualifications have furnished a system of procuring petitions that was inadequate. Five per cent of the class comprises a more representative number. The ten per cent limit is designed to make the work of the election committee easier and to eliminate the possibility of one candidate cornering the market of signatures.

This section further provides that no person may sign two petitions of candidates running for the same office.

Section 7 of the same Article again changes the time for elections. Instead of within five weeks of the beginning of the fall semester, class officer elections shall take place in the future not later than the sixth week.



NEW SENATORS—Shown above are the new Senators sworn in last Thursday night by Chief Justice McAuliffe. Front row: B. Pado, Thelma Litsky, Carol Hinde, Beryl Stern, Dorothy Forlin, Hope Westcott, Ardell Miller, Louis Monecy, Regina Lawler, Y. Johnson. Back row: J. Belville, F. Davis, D. Weidhaas, D. Tarr, F. Pado, W. Hill, G. Corey, A. Howard, J. Griffin, P. Gilmore, H. Markarian, R. White, R. Putnam, A. Tonigan, A. Castraberti. Four senators were still to be elected when the picture was taken.

Amherst Man Lambastes Collegian Fashion Editor Raves About 'coon Coat, Barrel Dress, Bald Look

Criticizes Fashion Editor

How I miss being with you and the other gentlemen at dear old Harvard! Since I transferred to this farm-like institution, I have been constantly amazed at the ways of these members of the proletariat. They're so common!

Antics at Amherst

Why, would you believe it, I was sipping tea yesterday afternoon with a mutual acquaintance at a local tavern—they call it the Lord Jeff—when suddenly a loud shout of whooping and noises of carousing rent the air. I didn't know what on earth to do. The rumpus seemed to be at the other end of town—down at the Aggie school.

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At any rate, here's what she has to say about the new fashions: "According to Stanley Marcus, of Neiman-Marcus Company of Dallas" (does that name mean anything to you?) "the latest creation is the 'barrel dress' designed for split as well as practicality." Then she goes on to say that some magazine jokingly intimated that women would come up with new fashions even though there was an absence of cloth for the clothes; and then, she describes it. Think of it, Winthrop! Young ladies parading in clothes resembling barrels—I suppose they mean beer barrels, at that. The girls never wear anything as odd-looking as that would obtain on Monday.

The authoress wove her piece of nonsense about three fashions in particular that the co-eds at the university are sporting. She expounded at length upon them in this order: the barrel dress, the raccoon coat, and the "bald look."

I understand from her article that these are the latest fads around campuses throughout the nation. But, Winthrop, either this university is located in Hindustan or the girls up here don't bother to keep up with the times; for nearly every female young lady is wearing a coat that Radcliffe never would wear anything as odd-looking as that would obtain on Monday.

The raccoon coat, she alleges, is "staging a dramatic comeback in college fads," with the hem stopping just below the three-quarter mark.

The only drama I can picture in this comeback is the raccoon suddenly rearing on its hind legs and snapping back at the young lady every time she opens her mouth to speak.

And the "bald look," a type of hair-grooming in which the coiffure is short and at the same time chic and versatile! Why didn't she call it the "bold look"? Heavens, hair that is chic and versatile must be pretty bold.

Well, Winthrop, I must close this epistle. My roomie—I should call him rummie—wants me to meet an old friend of his, someone in North Amherst called Mike. Watch your squash game, now.

Yours,
Jawn.

Hamlin, Knowlton To Open this Year; 350 Men will Move

The new Hamlin House will be open for occupancy the week of November 1, 1949, reported Mr. T. B. Thomas, Housing Officer.

175 students now housed in Greenough and Mills will move into this building thus relieving the overcrowding in these two buildings and returning them to a normal occupancy basis.

It is planned to have this dormitory completely finished before occupancy. There are 74 double rooms and 8 single rooms plus a large recreation room in the basement and a lounge on the first floor.

Knowlton House—south of Hamlin is scheduled to be ready for occupancy on or about December 1, 1949. The use of this building will relieve the overcrowding in Chadbourne Hall and Butterfield House. Upperclassmen now housed in Chadbourne will move into Knowlton House, thus permitting freshmen to occupy all of Chadbourne and the occupancy of Butterfield House back to a normal basis.

With the opening of Knowlton

House enough rooms will be available

on campus to eliminate the necessity

of any student living under crowded

conditions. It is expected that all

single rooms will be occupied by one

student and double rooms by two stu-

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prefer to remain to live 3 or 4 to a

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Calendar Notice
In the future, all notices for the weekly calendar must be brought to the office of the president's secretary, where the calendar is compiled. Notices should be brought to that office no later than Monday morning.

The Collegian will not accept notices which are to be added to the calendar.

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Group Sworn In By Judiciary Chief

The election of officers highlighted the affairs of the Student Senate during their meeting held on Tuesday evening at 7:00.

Alden Howard, class of 1950, was chosen president for the following term. Harold Markarian was elected vice-president; Thelma Litsky, treasurer; and Dot Fortin, secretary. This group was sworn in and congratulated by John MacAuliffe, Chief Justice.

Phil Gillmore, election chairman, stated that the fraternity representatives were Martin Flynn and William Less, both of Lambda Chi Alpha, and John Benoit of Kappa Sigma. He also said that Ned Campbell was chosen as the Greenough senator.

Parking Discussed

President Howard stated that something had to be done about the parking difficulties on campus, and told the senators to find out how many cars were owned in each residence.

Each senator was also instructed to stress the importance of the voting which will concern the adoption of the revised constitution. It was said that much work went into this revision, and that it was printed in the Handbook so that each student would be able to become acquainted with it.

To Conduct Election

One senator from each University residence group will conduct the class election in his residence on Monday, it was announced. Times and voting places for the election will be posted in the various dormitories and campus dwellings by the members of the election committee. Students are urged to note these facts, so that as large a vote as possible may be obtained on Monday.

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400 Attend Isogen Scholarship Dance

Over 200 couples crowded Drill Hall last Friday night to dance to the music of Frank Stollie's orchestra at the first Isogen dance of the season, dance chairman Renie Anderson said this morning.

Proceeds from the dance are large enough to enable Isogen to award the Junior Woman's Scholarship this spring. In the past, the Senate has provided the money for a \$50 scholarship which is presented annually for a backache, Dr. Radcliffe stated that he could not credit the claim and that if such treatment has been given it "has not happened intentionally."

To the last question, asking why "nose drops for an ear ache?" the doctor stated that in certain cases, involving a blocking of the ear, the use of drops is the more safe and effective method of treatment.

Hillel

The Hillel Friday evening service of October 14 was sponsored by Alpha Epsilon Pi. After the customary service, a discussion and Suesca party was held following by dancing and refreshments in the outdoor Succah.

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Program:

Similar to that carried on in morning group.

Cost:

\$20 for the entire year.

If you are interested please write to:

Nursery School Assistant
Edna Skinner Hall
U. of M.

Application should be in by Wednesday, October 26.

Class Elections . . .

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1950, William Looney for vice-president; class of 1951, Russell Beaumont for president; class of 1953, Edward Sexton for vice-president; Jeffrey Troy and Brad McGrath for treasurer. It is expected that the above will run, but as "write-in" candidates, Other "write-in" candidates are also joining the list.

Those running for office whose names appear on the ballot are as follows:

Class of 1950

President: Edward Camara, Robert Leavitt, Ralph Mitchell (incumbent), Edmund Struzziero.

Vice President: William Cahill, Allene Smith.

Secretary: Laura Levine, Patricia O'Rourke.

Treasurer: Bertram Kline, John Flanagan, Jr.

Class of 1951

President: Norman Bernstein, Donald Costello, Harvey Segal.

Vice President: Lydia French, Frank O'Keefe, Joann O'Rourke, James Greenberg, Richard Vara (incumbent).

Secretary: Jane McElroy (incumbent), Jeanne Sawdaye, Alice O'Donnell.

Treasurer: Barbara Dean (incumbent), Mary Jean Minnehan, Gerald Popkin, Malcolm Payne.

Class of 1952

President: Raymond Buckley, Whitney Crawford (incumbent), John Early, Walter Foster, Jason Lebowitz.

Vice President: Dana Davis, Robert Kroec, Eleanor Zamarchi.

Secretary: Mary Granfield (incumbent), Jean Hazelton.

Treasurer: Milton Crane, Jane Dinsmore, William Estes.

Class of 1953

President: David Allen, Joseph Brude, Robert West, John Sniaido, Bruce Thomas.

Vice President: Melvin Glusgol, Joan Kennedy, Frederick Selfridge, Gordon Smith, Randall Walker.

Secretary: Bernard Weinstein, Bettina Hollis.

Treasurer: John MacDonald, Paul Robbins, Charles Shields.

Home Ec

An assembly sponsored by the seniors in the school of home economics and featuring a talk by Miss Edna Skinner on "A View of Scandinavia" will be held next Thurs., morning, Oct



NEW FLOODLIGHTS—Seen in this shot is the effective way the new lights illuminate Alumni Field. In addition to night practice for the football squad, the new system is being used for intramural games, and by the drill team. According to Assistant Athletic Director Sid Kauffman, the \$7,500 equipment is equal to the best of its type in New England.

STOCKBRIDGE NEWS

Nichols 13 - Stockbridge 13

Monson Academy came from behind in the final period on Oct. 7 to earn a tie with the Stockbridge Aggies at Alumni Field. SSA scored first as Bob Ferstein bucked the line from four yards out in the first stanza. Monson came back before the end of the first half to trail 7-6, as they missed the conversion. A pass from Ferstein to Bob Bishop gave the Aggies a bigger margin in the third period, but the Edson-Sherman combo clicked again in the closing moments to give Welch an opportunity to tie the game with a perfect placement.

Nichols 21 - Stockbridge 0

A crowd of fifteen hundred spectators attending the Wadron fund benefit game saw Stockbridge lose a bloody battle to the Nichols eleven last week. The Bisons scored in the first, second and third quarters, while Stockbridge sustained a 67 yard march only to be halted on the 1 yard line. Seven members of the starting Stockbridge team were sidelined causing Coach Steve Kosakowski to reach deep into his reserve material.

Fraternity News

A.T.G. will hold its smoker Monday night, Oct. 24, followed by a dance Oct. 28. All freshmen are invited to attend these functions.

Collegian Cartoons

In an effort to obtain the best cartoon humor possible, the COLLEGIAN hereby invites all would-be cartoonists to submit samples of their work.

Cartoons of general subject matter will be acceptable, but those dealing with campus subjects are particularly sought. No great artistic skill is required. It's the idea which counts.

Cartoons may be brought to the Collegian office, Men's Hall, or to the Alumni Office.

Stork News
October 15—a son, to Mr. and Mrs. David Anderson, F-5, Federal Circle.

Norwood Elected Kappa Sigma Head

Kappa Sigma Fraternity elected Rob Norwood as their new Grand Master at a meeting held last Monday night. He is a member of the senior class and hails from Springfield, Mass. At the same session, "Wild Bill" Looney, varsity football and basketball star, was elected Intramural Sports Manager.

Extensive plans are being made for Homecoming Weekend next Saturday. A buffet supper and entertainment will be presented for those former University Kappa Sigmas who attend.

He has taken part in a good deal of campus activity, having been on the Varsity Tennis Team, The "M" Club, Dean's List, the Business Administration Club (Program Chairman), Campus Varieties, and the Glee Club.

Students Voice Views on Question Of Commies Teaching in US Schools

by Laura Stoskin

A poll taken of UM students on the controversial question "Should Communists Be Allowed To Teach In American Schools?" brought the following answers:

Eliot H. Cohen '52: "I believe that Communists should be allowed to teach because it would give to the student body a broader viewpoint." Renie Frank '51: "I don't think Communists should be allowed to teach in the U. S., for true Communist cannot help but voice the opinions of the Party line, and therefore his students won't have the ability to criticize and appreciate all forms of government."

Lorraine Selmer '52: "Yes, you have to know something about every political faction, so that you yourself can decide which is the road for you to follow."

Bettina Hollis '53: "No. If the U. S. is to remain a democracy Communists must be kept from teaching in colleges, the most strategic spot to start influencing American minds."

Elliot Schneider '50: "Yes. He would be teaching only what he's qualified for, and if a person is going to be influenced by Communism he will be influenced despite the efforts on one teacher. Students should hear Norman Thomas to learn what Communism really is."

Bill Lawson '51 (Stockbridge): "No. A teacher has great control over a for."

Sigma Kappa

Beta Eta chapter of Sigma Kappa Sorority announces the pledging on Thursday, October 13, of the following girls: Janet Ball, 1951, and Shirley Hathaway, 1962.

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Open to all former F.F.A. members and those interested in Vocational Agricultural teaching.

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Seniors Elect Leavitt President; Many Races Close

ever Present At Dedication of Gunness Lab Saturday

COLLEGIAN MEETING

There will be a meeting of the COLLEGIAN staff this afternoon at five. All members are asked to be present.



LAB DEDICATION—President Van Meter, Governor Dever, and Dean Marston of the Engineering School, the principal figures at the Gunness Laboratory Dedication. Photo by Tadge

Sig Eps To Hold Housewarming This Saturday For All Students

The long-awaited Sigma Phi Epsilon housewarming will take place this Saturday at the Sig Ep house located at 9 Chestnut Street. All U of M students are invited to attend the affair, which will begin at 8:00 p.m. and last through midnight.

Among the chief attractions of the evening will be various numbers by well-known campus choral groups and soloists. The Pi Phi "Pipettes", the "Teptet" from TEPI, the Sig Ep Sextette (five sharps and a flat), and the Statesmen will sing.

Dick Rescia of QTV will play the piano and sing; Leo Silva, a Devens transfer, will entertain on his guitar. The Sig Ep house owns a player piano which will be played for the amusement of the guests.

A complete tour of the house will be made available to all the guests. The party will be held all over the house and surrounding grounds. All guests are invited to inspect the remodeled basement decorated in night club style, con-

M Chest Drive Begin Nov. 11

(November 11 the 1949 Campus Campaign will officially begin until November 19 when the campaign will end, an effort will be made on the campus of the necessary campaign as well as to approach each student and faculty for a donation.)

Following chairmen have been Publicity, Paul Perry; Publications, Walter Foster; Special Harvey Segal; Finance, John

Jacob Brody and Charles Kidd, co-chairmen of the Honorary Colonel Committee report that the selection of candidates for Queen of the Ball (Honorary Colonel) will be held November eighth in Bowker Auditorium and urge all fraternities, sororities, dormitories, and all other organizations.

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One Vote Decides Election Of Soph Prexy, Treasurer

Close races dominated the picture in the annual class election held on campus this week. The election itself was held throughout the day on Monday, with the necessary recounts and checking on Tuesday.

In a race that was undecided until late Monday evening, Bob Leavitt captured the Senior class presidency by a 62 vote margin over runner-up Ed Camara. Other candidates in the race were Ed Struzziero and Ralph Mitchell.

John Flanagan, Jr., was elected treasurer of the class of 1950 by the small margin of 17 votes over Bert Kline. Other Senior officers are Walter Cahill, vice-president, and Pat O'Rourke, secretary.

The thirty-seventh annual Horticultural Show sponsored by the School of Horticulture will be held November 4, 5, and 6 at the Cage, it was reported by the Chairman of the event.

The doors will be open to the general public Friday, November 4, from 4 p.m. to 10 p.m.; Saturday, November 5, from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., and Sunday, November 6, from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The main theme, under the direction of Prof. Methard and Prof. Dickinson, will be an educational exhibit of applied science and Arboriculture.

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Cornelia Skinner Wows Audience

by Jim Powers
Last Friday night Miss Cornelia Otis Skinner demonstrated to a small audience in Bowker Auditorium the reason why she has been acclaimed... one of the loveliest and most patrician actresses of our stage."

Miss Skinner appeared in six short character sketches portraying almost every conceivable type of female personality from a self-centered New England matron to a New York gun moll.

Dressed in a simple black evening gown and wearing a triple strand pearl necklace, Miss Skinner performed with no props or scenery other than a table and chair and an amazingly versatile assortment of scarves and shawls.

Her first impression, "A Box of Powder," is a riotous sketch describing the tribulations of a rather meek middle-aged matron who enters a racy beauty salon for... just a box of face powder, please." Before she can retreat to safety, Madame Fifi and the girls have practically sold her the place.

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Violin and Piano Duo to Play Here

The second in a series of concerts arranged by the UM concert association will be held before a large audience on Monday night, November 7, in the Cage. Joseph Fuchs, one of the top ranking violin virtuosos of today and Eugene Istomin, "the phenomenal young pianist" will make their first UM appearance in "the grand style."

It is expected that this will be one of the big events of the year since both men are highly acclaimed by the music world as well as by an appreciative public.

As a piano and violin duo they are ranked with the top performers in

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BRICK BATS

Dear Editor:

In last week's Collegian, Dr. Radcliffe stated that he had "full confidence in the abilities of the infirmary's staff of nurses." Maybe he has. I haven't! When I went to the infirmary to receive "treatment" for a cut over my eye, the nurse there said that she couldn't remember how to make the bandage necessary to hold the edges of the cut together. I had to show her how to make it!

If nurses don't even know how to make a simple bandage, how can we expect them to be competent enough to treat more severe injuries?

Martin A. Sidman, '53

To the Editor:

After attending all the football games this fall, it is evident that an article should be written in criticism of the care given our injured players. Although much praise should be extended to Dr. Radcliffe in recognition of the increased speed and efficiency with which he attends to the injured players, it is apparent that the care given the players who are severely injured is by no means adequate.

The improper method by which an injured player is removed from the playing field and the lack of attention which he receives upon being placed on the sidelines is definitely appalling. More than one groan has been heard, both from the field and the stands, as players have been carried from the field and placed clumsy on the sidelines by well-meaning teammates trying so hard to be careful but inevitably being crude and rough.

Therefore, we should like to offer the following suggestions:

1. The stretcher that is available at home games SHOULD BE USED in removing a player with an injury of undetermined extent. Also, arrangements should be made so that a stretcher will be available at games away from home.
2. That a player with an injury of undetermined extent should receive prompt attention. In other words, if the player is apparently unable to participate further in the game he should be removed to more suitable quarters for proper treatment, not lie on the ground indefinitely to catch cold, or to wander around as was the case during several games in the past.

We ask that this work be done. The management of the bookstore should formulate and put into action a new system which will allow students to obtain books with no time lost. And the student senate should appoint a committee which will formally request such a plan and help in carrying it out.

The quicker this work is done, the better. We want to see this problem eliminated at the start of the next semester. There is no real reason to prevent that.

BEAT VERMONT

We wish the football team luck in its game with Vermont this Saturday. As we said two weeks ago, our opinion is that the team has the ability to beat anybody on its schedule. Despite last week's discouraging and somewhat freakish loss to Rochester, that opinion hasn't changed. It's still good and it will be for the remaining games with Springfield and Tufts.

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WORLD NEWS IN BRIEF

Washington, Oct. 17. The chairman of the President's Council of Economic Advisors, Dr. Edwin G. Nourse, submitted his resignation to President Truman today. Dr. Nourse, who is said to object to his colleagues being brought into politics through testifying before Congressional committees, plans to leave office by November 1.

Washington, Oct. 18. President Truman has authorized the Atomic Energy Commission to go ahead with a major expansion program, it was announced today by Senator Brian McMahon, chairman of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy. The new program will probably cost the country about \$300,000,000.

Washington, Oct. 19. The first session of the 81st Congress came to a close today with passage of the compromise farm bill and final action on a \$1,314,010,000 arms aid bill to foreign countries. President Truman praised the accomplishments of the group and suggested rest and recreation before readjournment on January 3.

U. M. WEEKLY CALENDAR

Thursday, October 27 to

MEETING Roister Doisters Bowker Auditorium, 6:30.

MEETING Olericulture Club, Speaker: John Chandler, State Commissioner of Agriculture, French Hall, Rm. 102, 7:00.

MEETING Lutheran Club, Seminar Room, Chapel, 7:00.

MEETING Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00.

MEETING Movie Committee, Stockbridge, Room 114, 7:30.

MEETING Debating Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:30.

Friday, October 28

CONFERENCE Intercollegiate Judging, Memorial Hall, 7:00.

CONFERENCE Future Farmers of America, Memorial Hall.

CONFERENCE Mastitis Conference, Bowker Auditorium.

CONFERENCE Western Massachusetts League of School Publications, Chapel Auditorium.

DANCES Thaxter House, Alpha Tau Gamma

Saturday, October 29

CONFERENCE Intercollegiate Judging, Memorial Hall, 7:00.

CONFERENCE Future Farmers of America, Memorial Hall.

CONFERENCE Student Christian Association, Skinner Hall.

HOUSE WARMING Sigma Phi Epsilon, 3:30, Dance, 8-12.

DANCES Chi Omega; Bowditch, 4-H Husking Bee; Butterfield, Invitation; Sigma Kappa, Invitation; Phi Sigma Kappa, Invitation.

Sunday, October 30

CONFERENCE Student Christian Association, Skinner Hall.

TEA French House, Thaxter Hall, 4:00.

OPEN HOUSE WMUA, Bowker Auditorium, 2:00.

Monday, October 31

BRIDGE Contract Bridge Tournament, Memorial Hall, 6:30.

Tuesday, November 1

REHEARSAL SCA Choir, Memorial Hall, 4:00.

VESTITERS Memorial Hall, 5:00.

CONFERENCE Poultry Breeding School, Stockbridge Hall, 8:00.

MEETING Economics Honesty Chapel, Seminar, 7:00.

REHEARSAL Chorale, Memorial Hall, 6:30.

REHEARSAL Statesmen, Room Stockbridge, 4:00.

Wednesday, November 2

REHEARSAL SCA Choir, Memorial Hall, 4:00.

CONFERENCE Poultry Breeding School, Stockbridge Hall, 7:00.

CONFERENCE Economics Honesty Chapel, Seminar, 7:00.

REHEARSAL Music Dept., Bowker Auditorium.

MEETING Student wives, French Hall, 4:00.

CONFERENCE Poultry Breeding School, Stockbridge Hall, 8:00.

MEETING Women's Student Council, Chapel, Seminar.

REHEARSAL Stockbridge Club, Memorial Hall, 6:30.

MEETING Christian Science Chapel, Room A, 7:00.

MEETING Ski Club, Chapel, Seminar, 7:00.

REHEARSAL Music Dept., Bowker Auditorium.

MEETING Student wives, French Hall, 4:00.

CONFERENCE Poultry Breeding School, Stockbridge Hall, 7:00.

BRIDGE Contract Bridge Tournament, Memorial Hall, 6:30.

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MEETING Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209.

REHEARSAL Statesmen, Room Stockbridge, 4:00.

REHEARSAL Symphony, French Hall, 7:30.

REHEARSAL Marching Band, Hall, 8:00.

Wednesday, November 3

CONFERENCE Poultry Breeding School, Stockbridge Hall, 9:00.

REHEARSAL Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30.

MEETING Student wives, French Hall, 4:00.

CONFERENCE Poultry Breeding School, Stockbridge Hall, 7:00.

MEETING Chemistry Club, Mann Auditorium, 7:00.

MEETING Political Union, Old Chapel, Room D, 7:00.

MEETING National Student Federation, Memorial Hall, Rm. 1.

REHEARSAL Chorus, Bowker Auditorium.

Thursday, November 4

CONFERENCE Poultry Breeding School, Stockbridge Hall, 9:00.

REHEARSAL Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30.

MEETING Student wives, French Hall, 4:00.

CONFERENCE Poultry Breeding School, Stockbridge Hall, 7:00.

REHEARSAL Statesmen, Room Stockbridge, 4:00.

REHEARSAL Symphony, French Hall, 7:30.

REHEARSAL Marching Band, Hall, 8:00.

Friday, November 5

CONFERENCE Poultry Breeding School, Stockbridge Hall, 9:00.

REHEARSAL Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30.

MEETING Student wives, French Hall, 4:00.

CONFERENCE Poultry Breeding School, Stockbridge Hall, 7:00.

REHEARSAL Statesmen, Room Stockbridge, 4:00.

REHEARSAL Symphony, French Hall, 7:30.

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Saturday, November 6

CONFERENCE Poultry Breeding School, Stockbridge Hall, 9:00.

REHEARSAL Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30.

MEETING Student wives, French Hall, 4:00.

CONFERENCE Poultry Breeding School, Stockbridge Hall, 7:00.

REHEARSAL Statesmen, Room Stockbridge, 4:00.



SPORTS

Redmen Blow Two Touchdown Lead Rochester Rallies To Win 27-20

UM Pass Boomerangs Put Yellowjackets in Lead Never to be Headed

by Bill Dunn
An alert University of Rochester football squad spotted the Redmen an early 13 point lead then roared back to score three times in the second period and go to defeat the locals 27-20 last Saturday afternoon on Alumni Field. A Homecoming gathering of 4800 fans witnessed the battle which was played under dark and threatening skies.

The locals took the opening kickoff and immediately began to hammer away at the Rochester line but a 15 yard holding penalty put an abrupt end to this advance. After the "Yellow-Jackets" were stopped cold the Redmen took over and marched 50 yards for a score with Roth grabbing a Johnston aerial and dashing 15 yards for the tally. Rogers converted and the locals led 7-0.

After the visitors failed to gain following the ensuing kickoff, the Redmen gained possession of the ball in midfield and began a sustained drive that was culminated with Feinman's smash off tackle for a touchdown. The try for the extra point was wide and the score remained at 13-0.

At this point the visitors decided to forsake the ground for the air lanes where they met with pronounced success. Howd, the "Yellow-Jackets" ace passer began to hit his receivers with amazing accuracy. He connected with scoring tosses to Reid and Wrenn and the lads from the Kodak city were back in the ball game.

Then came the turning point in the game. Ev Johnston back to pass was hit by Karang, Rochester end, and nearly decapitated the ball popped out of his grasp and into the waiting arms of Wrenn who sped 40 yards to pay dirt without a hand being laid on him. The same Mr. Wrenn converted for the third time in a row and the Visitors led 21-13 as the half ended.

Both clubs had several scoring opportunities in the second half but were only able to cross each others goal line once. Rochester scoring on a short plunge in the third canto and Mass. countering late in the final quarter on a pass from Beaumont to Doherty.

Johnston and Anderson in the backfield and Klaiber and "Tiger" Nichols up front excelled for the Eckmen, while Howd, Dales, Roth, Wrenn, who proved to be quite the bird, starred for the winners.

Massachusetts

Ends—Archibald, Wrenn, Karng, Stocking. Tackles—Lane, Tubbs, Bagarus, Tymeson. McCarrie. Guards—Henty, Madden, Steiner, Clarke, Robert, Oekler. Center—Hoffman. Backs—Reid, Howd, Moore, Dales, LaFever, Pausch, Williams, Siebert.

Massachusetts

Ends—Klaiber, Roth, Looney, Knight.

Tackles—Klaiber, Nichols.

Guards—Pasini, Basur, F. Driscoll, Garvey.

Centers—A. Estelle, Speck, Rogers.

Backs—Gleason, Johnson, Anderson, Feinman, Stratton, Benoit, McManus, Beaumont, Doherty, J. Estelle.

Score by Periods:

Rochester 0 21 6 0—27

Massachusetts 7 6 0 7—20

Touchdowns: Wrenn 2, Reid, Dales, Roth, Feinman, Doherty; points after touchdowns: Wrenn 3, Rogers 2 (all placements).

Aggies Play to Second Deadlock of Season

The Stockbridge Aggies battled to their second tie game in three starts as Wentworth Institute was stale-mated, 0-0, last Friday at Alumni Field. The game was a see-saw affair, with most of the action at mid-field. Continued on page 5



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From the Wigwam by Joe Steede

Jayvee Booters Fade Before Mt. Hermon 5-1

Comment of one of the old grads after witnessing the Rochester game, "I'd rather see them (UM) outplayed and beaten by six touchdowns than lose a game like that". This just about sums up the feelings of players and spectators alike. A little more here, a little less there could have spelled the difference for the Redmen.

Mt. Hermon Academy soccer team picked up their second win of the season at the expense of the UM Jayvees, by belting the Mass. booters, 5-1. Big stick for the Mt. Hermon eleven was Jack Fenner who provided the margin of victory by booting in two penalty kicks.

Mt. Hermon tallied first in the initial canto but the UM's Norm Krock evened the score midway thru the first quarter. From this point, the UM booters were gradually worn down with the Mt. Hermon team scoring once in the second and third quarters. In the final period Mt.

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Touchdowns: Salvucci, Syorka; point after touchdown, Passerini.

AIC FROSH

Ends—Luke, Medolo, Oberholz.

Tackles—Ollari, Hannigan, Papa, Martow-

Guards—Syorka, Gamble, La Francis,

ratt, Layton

Centers—Connor, Muicay

Backs—Passerini, Salvucci, Germania,

Rusell, Atobelli, Morris, Conniff, Powers,

Mass. FROSH

Ends—Graham, Frangos, Di, Vincent

Jones, Tackles—Hicknell, Demers, Robbins, Con-

Centers—Granville, Jenkins, Hicks, Mattolo,

Guards—Whippo, Hayworth,

Backs—Mueller, Benson, Howland, Reben-

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**Increase In Spirit Can Be Seen In This Year's Electioneering**

By Jawn

As this article was being written, class election results had not been announced. Indeed, class elections had not even taken place; for the hour was midnight, Sunday, and all through the night not a campaigner was stirring. Therefore, as you read this, understand that all is in jest and without partiality.

On the eve of this election day, however, it was interesting to note the amount of spirit and real honest endeavor that had gone into the campaigning. Some of the candidates had gone to a great deal of trouble and expense to get elected; others, simply in the background, content to let politics take its puzzling course.

Most of those who threw their hats into the political ring, though, put up something of a campaign. And, although campaigning amounts to more than tacking posters and signs in conspicuous places, a fairly good index of candidates' ability could be garnered by looking over some of their campaign publicity. (Some day, who knows, the pages of this newspaper may run paid political ads!)

Originally was the keynote of the whole election, we thought. Mitchell's banner in the college pond, Crawford and Kroek's streamer at halftime of the Rochester game, Segal's "horribles," Camara's bookmarks, Buck-

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Class of 1952

It is decided that 60% of the funds collected this year be contributed to World Student Service Fund and the remaining 40% will be allocated to various welfare organizations such as the March of Dimes and the Cancer Fund.

Since WSSF functions both by and for the students and teachers of the world college and university community, the committee voted that this project receive the greater percentage in the money distribution. It is mainly this fund that renders humanitarian and cultural services to faculty and, especially, students at universities suffering from the aftermath of war or other social upheavals.

World Student Service Fund operates on the basis of the essential need of the prospective recipients of its support—regardless of race, nationality, color, or creed.

It acts as the service agency of a number of American student organizations chief among them being: The National Student Association, the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation, the Federation of Newman Clubs and the Student Christian Associations, including Student YWCA and YMCA.

The short business session will feature the election of a Publicity Chairman, preferably a Sophomore or Junior. Information will be given in regard to dues necessary for Student Affiliation with the American Chemical Society.

Members are requested to make their payment at this time and return the completed application blanks. A showing of films will conclude the program. Everyone is invited to attend.

STOCKBRIDGE NOTES

The Animal Husbandry Club will have as a speaker, on November 1, Francis Austin, D.V.M., of Belchertown, Mass. This is one of the many interesting programs presented by the Club every other Tuesday night. Refreshments are served and social events are planned.

By Monday night the votes will have been counted and by Thursday, the results officially announced (page 1). Just for curiosity's sake, look at the names of the winners, then try and recall those who went out campaigning. Coincidence?

Open House . . .

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any interested persons. The members of the Radio Station will explain the machinations of broadcasting.

During the program, President Van Meter will present the charter officially acknowledging WMUA's participation.

Refreshments consisting of coffee, cider, cupcakes, and cookies will be served by the Scrolls during the program.

Daniel Meltzer is chairman of the affair; Secretary, Ann Provencher; Invitations, Irene O'Keefe; Refreshments, Anne Guineen; Entertainment, George Doyle; Publicity, Barbara Curran; Program, June Simons.

The Food Management majors are taking a trip to Boston, Thursday and Friday, together with the Fruit majors. Here they will see how various products are marketed. Up to now no club has been formed in Food Management, but it is expected that one will be formed soon.

STORK NEWS

Correction: for last Stork News June 19—a daughter, Elizabeth Heywood, nee Diana Lee to Mr. and Mrs. James Johnston of Hampshire House.

July 11—a daughter, Karen Lynn to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Pandell of Leverett.

Aug. 28—a daughter, Marilyn Ann to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chocheck, J-5 Federal Circle.

Oct. 10—a son, Richard, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Florio, M-2 Federal Circle.

Oct. 15—a daughter, Suzanne, to Mr. and Mrs. David Anderson, Plymouth House.

Oct. 16—a son, Andrew, to Mr. and Mrs. William Creed, E-1 Suffolk House.

Oct. 23—a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. John Suprunivcy, F-2 Federal Circle.

Campus Chest . . .

Continued from page 1
The field of the show will be the crowning of the Queen of the Horticultural Show, which will take place Friday, November 4, at 8 p.m. The queen will be selected from two candidates of each club in the Horticulture departments. The Queens court will include four of the running-up candidates.

Congress will be made during the run of the show in the cage and will be sold to the public. An outside store near the cage will offer refreshments.

The commercial florists of this region have again been invited to set up their displays of flowers.

The Wishing Well, which has been an attraction for the past two years, will be set up for contributions for the building of the new Memorial Hall.

The entire show is made possible through the participation of the four-year and two-year students of University and Stockbridge Schools of Horticulture. Student co-chairmen of the show are Bruce W. Fuller and William Walsh. Professor Paul N. Procopio is the faculty chairman.

The general design and construction for the show is under the supervision of Professor Lyle L. Blundell.

The student committee chairmen are: attendance, W. P. Ashe; entrance, A. Gelinas and Z. Bowes;

balcony decorations, A. Reid and F. Heylinger; clean-up, B. Fuller and W. Walsh; clerks, Mrs. J. Briggs; costumes, Miss R. Sheehan; guides, J. Allen and P. Doherty; table decorations, R. Olson; trucking, A. Johnson; Wishing Well, W. Bennett; the Floriculture Club; turf, P. Makinen.

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Investigating Committee

We note with interest the appointment last week of a student senate committee to investigate and report on the Student Health Service. The group will act as a formally established clearing house to gather and sift information regarding the health service with the view of eventually making recommendations for any improvements which may be needed.

By asking questions and, with the help of the entire senate, by obtaining the praise or complaints or recommendations of the students the committee may be able to form a complete picture of the health service, showing where it is strong and where it is weak.

If it receives the proper amount of cooperation from the rest of the senate and from the students the committee can contribute a valuable bit of work. From its findings, the committee can make a definite statement setting forth what it considers to be right about the health service and what it considers to be wrong. The statement can point to any necessary improvements and it can present a request to the president and to the deans that means be found for obtaining such improvements.

Of the information so far obtained in the form of letters to the Collegian there have been sixteen favorable comments and there have been five complaints. Only one of the complaints has been printed; of the other four, three were unsigned and the last contained a request that the signature be withheld. These four must be considered less substantial evidence than that contained in the other comments even though the complaints appear to be valid.

The letters indicate that there is still much to be said and we ask the students to take the opportunity to say it. The letters also indicate, in our estimation, that there is a need for betterment of the health service. Whether or not this opinion is justified could be shown by the work of the new group.

The committee can obtain a certain amount of pertinent material by asking questions, but the main sources for information are the patients who have been treated at the infirmary. We know the committee can state the case effectively if it is given a chance to do its job, and once the case is set forth, a base is provided for whatever action may be required.

WORLD NEWS IN BRIEF

New York, Oct. 24—Claiming that Secretary of the Navy, asked that there were no international problems so great that they could not be solved by men of good will, President Truman reaffirmed his faith in the United Nations today at the laying of the permanent cornerstone of the organization. He urged that the U.N.'s plan for the control of atomic energy be accepted, unless a better one is offered.

Prague, Czechoslovakia, Oct. 25—John Hey, a United States Embassy worker in Prague was ordered today by the Communist Czechoslovak government to leave the country on charges of industrial spying. Meanwhile, it was reported in London that the Soviet Union has asked Yugoslavia to recall her Ambassador to Moscow.

Washington, Oct. 26—Although President Truman signed the new minimum wage bill today raising the minimum rate per hour from 40 to 75 cents, the textile workers have started a campaign for a national minimum of \$1 per hour.

Washington, Oct. 27—The leader of the Navy's attack on defense policies, Admiral Louis Denfeld, was removed today as Chief of Naval Operations. The decision was made by President Truman after Francis P. Matthews,

ATTENTION! TICKETS
 Student Tickets for Springfield vs. University of Massachusetts Football Game November 5, 1949 NOW ON SALE At the main office Physical Education Building PRICE: \$1.00, tax inc.

INDEX PICTURES
 All Seniors with last names beginning with letters A through M who have not had their Index pictures taken are requested to report to the photographer at the Index Office in Memorial Hall immediately.



BRICK BATS

New Residents

Dear Editor,
 We note by an article in last week's Collegian, written by Penny Tickelis, that "any present or former student of French may apply for residence" to the French corridor in Thatcher. We heartily endorse the idea and liberality of the administration and girls of French corridor, and respectfully submit our applications for residence.

Sincerely,
 Douglass C. Mackenzie, Robert M. Tippett, Fred J. Schaeke, Russ Brode, Edward C. Beauregard, A. R. Detrino, S. Schwartz, Jr., Ralph Mitchell, Walter J. Montgomery, Joseph Steede, Robert E. Daniels, A. R. Morse, Jr., Roger Maynard—all of the class of 1950.

Letter To Seniors

Dear Editor:
 First, I want to thank the Senior Class for the honor it has given me of serving as their president.

Secondly, the officers of the class are asking for sincere volunteers to serve as chairmen and members of class committees. Any senior wishing to help our class become the best in all respects should contact one of the officers before the Thanksgiving recess.

The Committee work will not be routine as in previous years. The size of our class has provoked entirely new problems. No one person can solve them. It's your class, and we want you to be a part of the organization.

Your officers have met three times to date for basic planning, and have set the date of the first class meeting, which will be held in Bowker Auditorium, Thursday, November 17, at eleven a.m. Be there with suggestions and questions!

Sincerely,
 Bob Leavitt
 Pres. Class of '50

Infirmary Comments

The Collegian has received nine more of the mimeographed postcards which are furnished by the infirmary to students who wish to comment about treatment received. Each of the cards bears the statement: "In my opinion, the treatment accorded me by the University Health Service has been" followed by three designations: "thoroughly adequate", "adequate", and "unsatisfactory". Eight of the cards were marked "thoroughly adequate", and the other "adequate". Four of them contained additional favorable comments.

The cards were sent by the following people: Arthur H. Alintuck, '32; Arnold E. Binder, Grad; Joan Carlson, '33; Ev. Johnston, '50; William Looney, '50; W. Nalby, '50; Irak Rashid, Grad; Owen Rogers, '52; Edmund J. Struzziero, '50.

Index Statistics

Index Statistics blanks passed out in the dormitories and other campus residences should be filled and returned to the place from which they were taken.

The following information, only, should be listed: Name, class, major, fraternity or sorority, home address, and two major activities. Failure to return these forms before Monday noon, November 7, may result in omission of your name from the yearbook. Computers may pick up forms outside the Index office in Mem Hall.

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by Sylvia Kingsbury

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 EXTENDS OUR BEST WISHES TO SIG. EP. FOR THEIR
 "HOUSE WARMING" WEEK END AND WE DOFF OUR HAT
 (IT'S A KNOX) FOR THE SPLENDID JOB THEY ARE DOING—
 Tom Lloyd

— THE HOUSE OF WALSH —
 THOMAS F. WALSH

WMUA Holds Open House; UM, Holy Cross, Smith, Amherst Attend; Van Meter Presents Charter

"Good luck and no static" was the wish of all who attended the open house for the chartering of WMUA as the official radio station of the U of M campus. Among the well-wishers who helped usher the station into certified campus life last Sunday at Bowker, were members of the faculty of the U of M, Smith, Holy Cross and Amherst student body.

The three hour program was opened by President Van Meter who, in presenting Wayne Langill, head of WMUA, with the official charter, stated that he considered the station one of our most valuable extra-curricular activities.

"WMUA Future Brilliant"

Dean Hopkins, although admitting that his own knowledge of technical radio work ended with knowing that "if you turn on the radio and it doesn't work, you call the engineer, but if you turn it off and it still plays, you call a psychiatrist", felt that there was no reason to doubt that the future of WMUA is not brilliant.

Prof. W. W. Smith and Mr. Robert McCartney, both associated with the station spoke of the many improvements witnessed in the past few years.

Opened officially, WMUA then went on to present a varied musical show for its first broadcast. A tape recorder from the station wired a selection of University Chorale numbers into Bowker.

Harry Star, retiring president of the local chapter was named chairman of the Cultural Committee and is currently organizing a modern dance group. Syd Bronstein is the new membership chairman and Elbert Taitz continues as Public Relations Chairman.

LOST
 One Theory of Equations by Conwright at Math Building. Please return to INDEX Office.

W.M.U.A.—Shown above is the ceremony which took place during the WMUA Open House last Sunday. President Van Meter is shown presenting the station's charter to Wayne Langill. Others, pictured in the usual order: Mr. Robert McCartney, Dean Hopkins, and Professor Smith, advisor to the station.

—Photo by Tague

Jawn Suggests Campus Improvements

By Jawn

One night last week, I took part in a very lively, yet comical, bull-session at a fraternity house in which the particular topic of conversation was the "improvement" of the University of Massachusetts.

The group reached the conclusion that the school should seriously inaugurate a "Do - You Like This Song?" — Then Buckle-Up-Yo-Muscle-Rat" Week with the following point program as its foundation:

1. Full-time employees should stand in front of the entrances to the "Passion Pit" making certain that every person who goes in is supplied with blinders (for the eyes, you numbskull!) of the type that milk-wagon horses used to wear. These are to prevent students from staring around the library, thus encouraging study habits.

2. Instead of giving 2 free tickets to a football game or 2 free meals at the Yankee Pedlar as prizes for winners of the Amherst football pool, first point should be two free tickets to the college store on Tues., Thurs., and Sat., at 11 o'clock. Very practical,

remove Boston in *toto* to within one mile of the school. Also, supply city editors of every Boston paper with high-powered binoculars so that they will be last cognizant of the fact that there is a university in Amherst. Oh yes! have someone responsible for the editors' looking in the direction of Amherst!

5. Install an escalator system at Butterfield Hill. Else, enter every fellow on the Hill in next year's B.A.A. marathon. With the leg muscles they develop during the year, there should be plenty of good track-men. Also, install a subway system on campus. It's an awfully long walk from North Pleasant Street to Butterfield Hill. Else, enter every fellow on the Hill in next year's B.A.A. marathon. With the leg muscles they develop during the year, there should be plenty of good track-men. Also, install a subway system on campus. It's an awfully long walk from North Pleasant Street to Butterfield Hill. Else, enter every fellow on the Hill in next year's B.A.A. marathon. With the leg muscles they develop during the year, there should be plenty of good track-men. Also, install a subway system on campus. It's an awfully long walk from North Pleasant Street to Butterfield Hill. Else, enter every fellow on the Hill in next year's B.A.A. marathon. 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Topics from the Tower

By Barb Curran

Over 300 people attended the WMUA Open House and dedication ceremony last Sunday, from 2:00 to 6:00.

The success of this event can be attributed to the diligent work of the members of the radio station under the direction of the department heads: Wayne Langill, Section Manager; Dave Meltzer, Publicity Director; Roy Pitman, Assistant Station Director; George Doyle, Production Director; and Bob Bates, Chief Operator.

George Doyle, Production Manager, expressed the appreciation of the members of the radio station to all those who participated in the program Sunday afternoon at Bowker Auditorium.

Talent To Be Regular Feature

George Doyle also reported that much of the talent on the program Sunday will be heard regularly throughout the year over WMUA.

WMUA was pleased to have the members of the Holy Cross radio station present at the Open House Sunday afternoon. Members of other college radio stations sent their regards that they couldn't attend because of the inclement weather.

Dr. Miller Speaks At SCA Conference

The annual fall conference of the Pioneer Valley Intercollegiate Council took place at Skinner Hall last week-end, as representatives from Smith, Mt. Holyoke, Springfield, and Amherst Colleges gathered on campus. The delegates registered Saturday morning for a two-day program of discussion and entertainment.

Miller Speaks

Saturday's program was highlighted by two addresses given by Mr. Alexander Miller, a Presbyterian minister and main speaker of the conference. Mr. Miller was the former General Secretary of the New Zealand Student Christian Movement from 1934-1936. He received his M.A. at the University of New Zealand and is now doing graduate work in social studies at Union and Columbia.

His two addresses, "What is a Christian Job?" and "Choosing our Particular Job" were followed by seminars in which Mr. Miller's talks were discussed and evaluated. The discussions were led by Rev. William Cole from Smith; Dr. William Ross, head of the UM physics department; Rev. Michael Rooney, curate of St. John's Episcopal Church in Northampton; Dr. Hal Hasting of Amherst; Rev. Kenrick Baker, assistant chaplain at First Congregational Church and Mrs. Ralph Williams.

Sunday's program began with worship service sponsored by UM in which the SCA choir participated. This was followed by Mr. Miller's third address, "Modern pressures and modern responsibilities".

After dinner at Draper Annex, panel discussions were held on "How can one be a Christian at his job?", with representatives of a variety of vocations including a scientist, a lawyer, a social worker, a home maker, and a missionary worker.

Recreation by Springfield, UM

Recreation for the conference consisted of dancing and games, Saturday afternoon and evening. Ted Parsons, '52, was caller for the square dancing Saturday night and Luise Moncey provided music with her accordion. The entertainment was under the direction of U of M and Springfield field students.

The program was concluded by worship services directed by Amherst students.

Co-chairmen for the conference were Harry Childs of Springfield and Jeannette York of Smith.

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Slick Chicks Lay Eggs Only Because They Must; Production Falls Off When Nerves Are Frayed

By A Staff Reporter



THE QUESTION—Pictured above is Collegian reporter Jim Gilbert interviewing the flock at the local barnyard. Looking on at Gilbert asks the question of the week are Betty Lou Johnson and Julie Chichon.

Photo by Tague

Stockbridge House, Built in 1728, Contains Modern Faculty Club House

By Judy Broder

Have you ever wondered while walking down North Pleasant Street, just what that white house near Wilder Hall is? Or have you noticed the figures 1728 above the door? Certainly it can't be 1728

North Pleasant Street, since the street is not that long. And so we shall disclose the many curiosities of Stockbridge House, the faculty club house, the oldest in Amherst.

Features 18th Century Style

When entering through the center front doorway, one finds himself in a small hall on either side of which is a living room. In the left hand room there is a built-in corner cabinet and a secret drawer in the wall. The floors are unfinished wood and the ceilings are in their original form with the beams showing. On the windows are inside drawing shutters, characteristic of eighteenth century homes.

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Modern Recreation Rooms

The kitchen, we were informed by Mrs. Price, the hostess, has been recently modernized by members of the faculty club, who use its facilities. Beyond the kitchen is a pool room which the professors have reconverted from a woodshed.

Upstairs are two rooms which are now used for ping pong. They retain their old structures including floor and wall-boards two feet wide, vertical and horizontal wall panels, and again unfinished ceiling with prominent beams.

Oh yes, we forgot to mention the 1728 above the door, but you have probably guessed that the house was built in that year. It was originally a farmhouse and part of the land grant. The family of Lawrence Dickinson lived there for more than twenty years, but in 1934 the house was reconditioned and turned over to the faculty group for use as a club-house.

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Social Chairmen, Student Life Meet

A combined meeting of all organizational social chairmen and Student Life Committee was held last Thursday evening in the Butterfield House Lounge. Dr. Vernon Helming, chairman of Student Life, introduced the novel entertainment of the meeting.

In accepting his new position, Dr. Goldberg stated, "Throughout, we have sought to define our emphasis as focusing upon our functions, primarily as teachers. We have been interested in scholarship and criticism, true. But we have had this interest primarily as an incentive to our teaching and as a source of our personal enrichment, hence our enriched service as teachers."

Dr. Goldberg has done a great deal of work for international student organizations, and served as a delegate last fall to a convention of the International Student Service group at Wells College.

In his new office for WSSF, Dr. Goldberg will be working for an organization which functions both by and for the students and teachers of the world college and university community. WSSF was named last week as the recipient of 60% of the funds to be collected in the Campus Chest Campaign which will be held from November 11 to November 19.

Fuchs . . .

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6) Florist's Thanksgiving Window

—Page, Wenk
7) Waterfalls — Chase, Downing, Scott

8) Garden Seat — Brown, Gould,

Sorox, France
Minature:

1) Greenhouse and Nursery—O'

Hallaran, Robinson, Tooley, Damaur

2) Mill Site—Jack Houston, Dick

Joseph

All plants on sale will be sold only at the show and not at the greenhouses.

For the third consecutive year the Wishing Well will be set up for contributions for the building of a new Memorial Hall.

Glass Mugs

with clear glass handles

in blue, rose, green and amber

The Vermont Storekeeper

42 Main Street

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NOV. 4, 5

"GREEN GRASS OF WYOMING"

Peggy Cummins - Charles Coburn

- CO-FEATURE -

"BLACK GOLD"

Anthony Quinn - Katherine DeMille

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SUN. MON.

NOV. 6, 7

"CALL NORTHSIDE 777"

James Stewart - Richard Conte

- ALSO -

"HIS GIRL FRIDAY"

Cary Grant - Rosalind Russell

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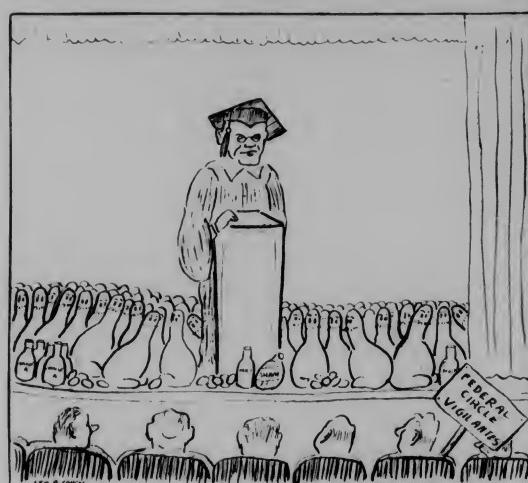
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NEWS IN BRIEF

De Molay

There will be a meeting of the University of Massachusetts DeMolay Club in room 110 French Hall, November 9, at 7 o'clock. All members, or past members of the Order of De Molay in the University and Amherst College are invited to attend.

A business meeting will be held concerning future activities of the club. Following the meeting refreshments will be served and movies of the University's football games will be shown.

Forestry Club

At the regular meeting of the Forestry Club this Thursday, motion pictures from the U. S. D. A. Bureau of Forestry will be shown. There will be an informal get together after the meeting at which refreshments will be served.

Varsity "M" Club

There will be a Varsity "M" Club meeting tonight in Room 10 of the Phys Ed building. All Varsity "M" members are cordially invited. Refreshments will be served and entertainment will be provided.

Arboriculture Club

The Stockbridge Arboriculture Club held its second meeting of the year on October 26. Honorary members, Robert Stelle and Charles Perin were admitted to the club. After a short business meeting, Robert Jackson gave the freshmen a resume of the seniors' three day field trip to Stanford, Conn.

The main speaker of the evening was Mr. Clayton Smith, who spoke on the history of the Horticulture Show. Colored slides were shown in conjunction with Mr. Smith's speech.

Lost

LOST: red Princess Gardner wallet. Please contact me if found. Anne Guihoin-Thatcher.

Lost

LOST: a chain of keys, with a pearl-handled knife attached. Please return to or notify W. Johnson at 113 Middesex.

Int Relations Club

The International Relations Club will hold its first meeting of the year on Thursday evening at 8:00 p.m. in Old Chapel Room C. All interested students are invited to attend. The faculty adviser will be Professor Ames Pierce.

Bowling

Walt Feldman of Mem Hall announced this week that the university bowling alleys will open on Tuesday, November 15.

The alleys, located in the basement of Mem Hall, will be available Mondays through Fridays from 3 o'clock to 10:00.

Any persons interested in jobs as bowling attendants and pinboys, please see Mr. Feldman at Mem Hall.

European Spirit Amazes Student

By Irene Bresnick

(Ed. Note: This is the second in a series of two articles by Irene Bresnick on her NSA-sponsored European trip this summer.)

In England we met students at Oxford and Cambridge. We were all very interested in comparing the educational systems of our country with those of European countries, and to discuss with foreign students the merits of both. We learned that the systems of Oxford and Cambridge are highly specialized, and that we also concluded that there is a great divergence in the secondary schools of England and the United States. Their high school systems are much more complete than ours and more emphasis is placed on the liberal background. We found similar differences in other European school systems as compared with our own.

The spirit of the European student was most amazing to us. He shows no apathy or indifference to any field of knowledge, whether it relates to his own field or whether it is not even remotely connected. All the students that we met spoke English quite well, and most of them could speak another language in addition to their own. Not only could they speak English, but, as in the case of some engineering students that we met in Delft, Holland, they were so

well versed in both English and American literature that we were amazed.

Communist Fiesta

The trip took us through places of interest in England, France, and Holland—Westminster Abbey, St. Paul's Cathedral, the House of Parliament, Versailles, the Louvre, and the Champs-Elysées. In addition a few of us travelled for two weeks through the mountains of Switzerland and then into Italy. Perhaps some of my more lasting memories will be those of the Communist Fiesta which we attended in Florence, the open air opera at Caracalla in Rome, the sidewalk cafes of Paris, the canals of Holland, and most of all the wonderful friends that I made everywhere.

We all profited by our trip this summer, and I hope that many other students on this campus will be able to join the N.S.A. program next summer.

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Judged layout, Prof. Robert P. Lane, English teacher, who judged editorial coverage. Prof. John Vondell, president of the New England Council of Camera Clubs, judged the yearbook Photography; and Ian T. MacIver, artist and teacher in the department of fine arts at the state university, who judged the yearbook art work and general appearance.

The afternoon session of the meeting featured a panel discussion on "The Role of the School Newspaper and Yearbook".

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Proceeds from this year's drive will be divided into two main groups: World Student Service Fund will receive 60 per cent, and the remainder will be divided among the Cancer Fund, Heart Fund, Tuberculosis Drive, March of Dimes, and scholarship aid to foreign students on this campus.

WSSF Gets Large Share

The World Student Service Fund, major beneficiary of the drive, is an international organization that helps students in universities all over the world. It depends entirely upon contributions from other university students, and distributes its help on the basis of need—regardless of religious or political considerations.

WSSF aids students in both Asia and Europe, in many ways. Some of the projects are the following:

Rest centers for students suffering from malnutrition and general post-war strain. Students stay an average of about two months in these centers, receiving not only physical care but intellectual contacts that help restore their interest in life.

Medical relief, such as tuberculosis sanatorium treatment. Medicines and supplies are badly needed in these centers.

Care of Student displaced persons through financial aid, scholarships, resettlement in other countries.

Self-help projects to enable students to earn necessary money. Cooperative shops and printing projects, for example, badly need equipment. Food and clothing, a perennial need

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GIVE TO THE CAMPUS CHEST

You could get through an Amherst winter with only \$3 for fuel?

Did you ever sit in a class of 75 students where four people were infectious TB cases and should have been in a sanitarium?

These questions, as incongruous as they may seem to us, are ones which must be answered affirmatively every day by thousands of students in the universities of Europe and Asia. In Japan, students are suffering from malnutrition, cold, and disease; 75% of them are either partially or entirely self-supporting; and in China, in every class of 75 students, approximately four are serious TB cases. Conditions like these face students throughout the world; and it is on behalf of these students that the Campus Chest Drive, which opens on campus tomorrow, is giving 60% of its quota to the World Student Service Fund.

The Collegian here urges the full support of this drive by every member of the university community. And we would like to stress especially the needs of the World Student Relief Organization, of which WSSF is the American fund-raising arm. The other charitable groups from which the Campus Chest committee will be soliciting money, among them the Heart and Cancer funds, are eminently worthwhile organizations, but they differ from WSSF in one respect. These groups can make effective appeals to every social and economic class in the country; WSSF, existing solely for students and faculty members, can appeal only to educational groups. It is in our role as students that we should give strong support to this group.

The actual money we give the WSSF can go a long way towards alleviating student problems in Europe and Asia. Not only can the money be used to combat actual conditions of famine and disease, to supply new classroom buildings and student medical centers, but it can also be used for self help projects, such as supplying typewriters and mimeographing machines to students who may then become self-supporting.

More important though, than the actual material aid we can give students is the symbolic aid these contributions can represent. This is a way of letting the students of Europe and Asia know that we are interested in them and will work with them. Just as the idea of one world is slowly taking shape, so is the idea of one university, of an international student body growing. It is as part of this international group and not merely as students on one university campus in Amherst, Mass., that we must concern ourselves with the international student problem. Your contributions to WSSF, through the Campus Chest Drive, can be a step toward the solution of this problem.

WORLD NEWS IN BRIEF

Cleveland, Oct. 31—Phillip Murray, president of the United States Workers of America, finally broke the back of the steel strike today. Murray announced that his union had reached agreement with Bethlehem Steel by which employees of twenty-five years' service will receive a minimum \$100 monthly non-contributory pension. Employers and employees will divide equally the costs of a social security insurance program.

Washington, Nov. 1—Another airplane disaster was in the headlines today, only five days after the fatal crash in France last week. Fifty-five people were killed in the worst civil air crash in this country as a Bolivian P-38 cut a passenger transport in two, 100 feet above National Airport in Washington.

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BRICK BATS

OBIT FOR GIMPEL, FEIBISH

We, the friends and supporters of Gimpel Feibish, wish to take this opportunity to express our heartfelt sorrow on the occasion of his unexpected passing.

He was good, honest, sincere and trusting, and the blow caused by his dismal failure at the polls was too much for his tender soul to take. He felt that the class of '53 didn't want him, and he died of a broken heart.

Only we, who backed him in the election, know of the torment he experienced during that time. Every time he heard of an instance where some callous freshman vociferously denied his existence it seemed as if he could burst out crying. Every time he found one of his posters marked up or ripped off the walls, he seemed to bleed inside. Naturally he took his loss very hard and now he is gone.

Goodbye, Gimpel, you were a great guy but a lousy politician.

Joseph Finkel Butterfield

Interested in the American History courses of Professor Theodore Clark Smith. The manner in which Prof. Smith balanced the pros and cons of his historical conclusions decided Professor Cary's interest in History.

HAROLD WHITING CARY

Ed. Note: With some cause, fictitious candidate Feibish received only eighteen votes in the Freshman election.

Infirmary Comments

Ed. Note: The following are comments received regarding the infirmary.

In my opinion, the treatment accorded me by the university health center was thorough and adequate. Any football injury I have received was taken care of.

Nov. 4—Phil Roth '51 The same statement was also made by the following people. Their comments are added.

"The food was excellent!" Delores Rego '52 Oct. 25

"I have had two occasions to come in contact with the University Health Service and at both times it was thoroughly adequate. I want to compliment especially the trainer's room and its staff for they have done an admirable job."

Arthur H. Alintuck '52 Oct. 24

"Never have I been accorded anything but courteous, pleasant treatment at the infirmary."

Arnold E. Binder Grad Oct. 25

"I found the food very good and the care itself left nothing to be desired. For the nurses were nice and the atmosphere pleasant."

Joan Carlson '53 Oct. 27

"My case did not require hospitalization but it did require almost daily attention for about 2 months and during that time I saw nothing but modern and efficient methods used."

Owen Rogers '52 Oct. 24

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Bud Slavin '50 Nov. 5

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Collegian Profile No. 28

by Restituto T. Fresto

Prof. Cary Sees 6500 Enrollment Soon

Harold Whiting Cary, A.B. (Williams); M.A. (Harvard); Ph.D. (Yale); Professor of History; Chairman of the History Department.

This brief paragraph is the official academic description of Professor Cary, best known to the students for his courses in American History.

Professor Cary was born in Colrain, a small town in Western Mass.

He attended Arms Academy and moved up the academic ladder to enter Williams College in 1921. While at Williams he became particularly

fascinated with the Board of Temperance.

THESIS ABOUT CONN. VALLEY

Upon finishing the work at Harvard, Prof. Cary joined the faculty at Cushing Academy, where he taught history. In 1929, he went to Yale to work on his Ph.D. thesis.

While spending his time teaching and in study, Prof. Cary's interest shifted to his native Connecticut Valley. It was then he decided that he would do his thesis on the Springfield Republican and its news coverage. In this way he felt he could study the valley and its relation to the national scene, a subject in which he still maintains an interest.

Armed with a Ph.D., he arrived on campus as an instructor in history and assistant to the dean (check on cuts). Even then he was termed "a rough instructor." Mr. Cadigan, assistant registrar of the university, can still recall having once been quizzed on a foot note.

Prof. Cary's home is in North Amherst. He has three children, and his eldest son is now attending Williams College. Maintaining his share of public responsibility, the prof has served a term as Town Representative. His other public interest includes work in the Boy Scouts and with his church's young people group.

Prof. Cary sees the increased facilities of the state university as a value to the citizens of this state. Problems such as inadequate curriculum, library facilities, and law will, he believes, be eradicated in the near future. Within the next few years he sees the university with enrollment of 6500.

U. M. WEEKLY CALENDAR

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10 — THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17

Thursday, November 10 REHEARSAL, Statesmen Rehearsal, Stockbridge Hall, 11:45. REHEARSAL, Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30. REHEARSAL, Symphony, Skinner Hall, Room 119, 7:30. MEETING, Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00. DANCE, Housewarming Dance—Miller House; Pi Beta Phi—Invitation; Kappa Alpha Theta—Invitation. REHEARSAL, Symphony Orchestra, Skinner, 7:00.

Friday, November 11 Holiday RALLY, Bowker Auditorium, 6:45. OUTING CLUB, Trip to Vermont, Leave East Experiment Station, 8:30 a.m. DANCE, Campus Chess Drive Dance, Drill Hall, 8:00; Alpha Epsilon Pi—Invitation.

Saturday, November 12 CONFERENCE, Connecticut Valley Section, American Chemical Society, Goessmann Lab. DANCE, Theta Chi—Sadie Hawkins Day—Invitation; Q.T.V., Open House—Please couples only; Kappa Sigma—Invitation; Sigma Phi Epsilon—Invitation; Alpha Epsilon Pi—Open House; Alpha Gamma Rho—Invitation; Lambda Chi Alpha—Invitation; Phi Sigma Kappa—Invitation; Tau Epsilon Phi—Open House; Sigma Alpha Epsilon—Invitation.

Monday, November 13 REHEARSAL, Operetta, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30. REHEARSAL, Chorale, Mem Hall, 6:30. REHEARSAL, Concert Band, Skinner, 7:00. REHEARSAL, Chowder Marching Society, Stockbridge, 7:00.

Wednesday, November 14 MEETING, SCA Choir, Memorial Hall, 4:00. REHEARSAL, Operetta Guild, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30. REHEARSAL, Chorale, Mem Hall, 6:30. REHEARSAL, Chowder Marching Society, Stockbridge, 7:00.

Thursday, November 15 MEETING, Women's Student Advisory Board, Chapel, Seminar, 7:00. REHEARSAL, Stockbridge Glee Club, Memorial Hall, 6:30. PERFORMANCE, Operetta — Go-Crazy—Bowker Auditorium, 8:15. MEETING, Student Wives — Text Group, Skinner Museum, 7:30. MEETING, Political Union, Chapel, Room D, 7:30. MEETING, National Student Association, Skinner Auditorium, 7:00. MEETING, Index Staff, Chapel, Room C, 6:45. MEETING, Chowder and Marching

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FOOD TECH CLUB

The Food Technology Club announces the election of the following officers: President, John McAuliffe; Vice-president, Donald Fair; Secretary, Thelma Litsky; Treasurer, William Robinson. The club has recently applied for membership in the National Institute of Food Technology.

Tuesday, November 15 MEETING, Theta Chi—Sadie Hawkins Day—Invitation; Q.T.V., Open House—Please couples only; Kappa Sigma—Invitation; Sigma Phi Epsilon—Invitation; Alpha Epsilon Pi—Open House; Sigma Alpha Epsilon—Invitation.

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SOME LIKE IT HOT AND SOME LIKE IT COLD—
But for those who would be comfortable when it is Cold—and it will be soon—it always has, you know—turn to the HOUSE OF WALSH. Big, roomy pile coats, gloves, scarves, and flannel shirts. Consult Tom Today.

— THE HOUSE OF WALSH —

THOMAS F. WALSH

Temperance Sheet Evokes Comments From Amused Collegian Reporter

By Joe Towler

Those of you who still think that the world still isn't too badly off in spite of the atomic bomb, the Cominform, the high cost of living, and juvenile delinquency, are due for a nasty shock if you ever run across a nasty piece of propaganda called "The Clipshed of the Board of Temperance". This broadside, distributed free to all interested or disinterested publications, (such as the Collegian), is of the opinion that the world, and especially America, is in a hell of a state. And it knows what's doing, it's BOOZE!

"Late for School, Beaten, Robbed; Misses Class Deadline, Has One Last Fling," . . . He met his erstwhile friends in a cafe and the three went on the usual "ride of Friendship." "We've made many friends in cafes too, and every one of them was erstwhile."

"After devouring the October edition IN TOTO, including an editorial castigating the abolition of the Volstead Act, we went into a state of shock, not now that we have recovered, with the aid of the Old Demon himself, we find that our original horror

is greater than the new one. We find that the stories cry out for an O. Henry, or at least a Somerset Maugham, to do them justice. The undertones of tragedy, or things unsaid, the ready-made socks ending—all may be found in the next vignette, reminiscent of "A Harlequin Tragedy" by Sid Porter. "There should be a Moral in This," . . . Drunk, he threw his wife through a window; friend, however, then posted bond for release?" You BET there's a moral in the story, two of them in fact. Moral for husbands: "Marry a woman with bail money." Moral for wives: "Live on the ground floor."

Pursuant to our policy of investigating all fields of journalism, especially that area which could be described as the "lunatic fringe", we have made a detailed study of the paper, much in the style of the "New Yorker's Liebling, of "Wayward Press" fame.

Nothing of interest is to be

Topics from the Tower

By Barb Curran

WMUA will broadcast the U of M-Tufts game next Saturday from Alumni Field. Wayne Langhill reported this week that the work is being carried on in order to have the public address system in operation for the game Saturday...

In addition to Amherst Theatre tickets, Chesterfield cigarettes will now be offered as prizes for identification of the mystery tunes. These tunes can be heard nightly on the Revolving Bandstand...

Live Talent To Be Featured

Next week, programs featuring campus talent will be instituted. Inez Card and Luis Moncey with her accordion will be heard on these programs. Bud Whittaker will sing folksongs on Thursday evenings beginning next week...

Classes in script writing and announcing are now being held under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stelkowitz. Mr. Stelkowitz, instructor in speech, and graduate of Emerson College, is holding these classes each Tuesday evening in Old Chapel...

The request show which was heard last year every Friday night from 8:00 to 12:00 will be broadcast Saturday nights this year starting next week. George Doyle announced this week...

Wayne Langhill, Station Manager, offered an apology to the listeners of WMUA for the radio station not being on the air continuously last week, as planned.

Minor operational difficulties made it impossible for WMUA to present a continuous program for the listeners. However, Langhill added that the station was on the air intermittently all during the past week.

Full Schedule Planned

It is the hope of the radio station staff that WMUA will be broadcasting this week on a full schedule. Although no definite promise is being

made, Langhill stated, efforts are being made toward clearing up the present difficulties.

A picture of the WMUA staff was released on Television over WNAC-TV in Boston on October 30, the Sunday night of the Open House...

The students, who were under the leadership of Mr. Vernon Ferwerda, announced this week that any clubs desiring broadcasting time over the radio station should get in touch with him either by writing to or calling at the studio in South College...

Suggestions for programs are always welcomed by the staff of WMUA. It is the aim of the radio station to broadcast what the listeners want at all times. Suggestions may be sent to the studio at South College...

Headphones Aid Interpretation

The University students and the many other visitors sat around the room in chairs equipped with headphones, with diaphragms which enabled the wearer to hear the words of the speaker in six languages—that of the speaker himself, English, French, Russian, Spanish, and Chinese.

The interpreters for these meetings were found in glassed-in booths at one end of the room. They were responsible for the translations, which of necessity must be made rapidly.

One woman, the French delegate, was noticed among the representatives, although there were several women who served as advisers to the delegates and were seated behind them.

During intermission refreshments were served by Jean Richardson and her committee. Many thanks go to the wives who baked all the delicious cakes and cookies.

The club is organized for married students both off and on campus, and is still open for membership.

Kappa Sigma

The Gamma-Delta Chapter of Kappa Sigma Fraternity announces the initiation of the following men: Paul Gagnon, Cornelius Harrington, and Raymond Metzger, of the class of '50 and Frank Bunker, Dana Davis, and Robert Devine, of the class of '52.

Government Group Visits UN Council At Lake Success

STOCKBRIDGE NOTES

Director Verbeck, who had recently returned from Kansas City, spoke briefly on his trip at the November 2 Convocation. He presented interesting facts about the stockyards, processing of cattle, and the new grain storage facilities that he visited.

He also announced plans for the annual service to be conducted at Mem Hall, honoring the dead of World Wars I and II.

This year, as always, the Stockbridge men and women did a grand job at the Hort Show. The School congratulates them on their superb work, without which this great show would have been impossible.

All members of Stockbridge are invited to the Freshman Reception. The dance, a semi-formal affair, will be held on Saturday, November 19, at 8 o'clock in Memorial Hall.

Come on out, Freshmen, and get acquainted with your classmates.

Tufts Rally . . .

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any persons wishing to attend other activities on campus may do so.

Expert to Judge Floats

The float contest which will take place in the course of the rally Friday will be judged by the following committee: Mr. Ian Maciver and Mr. Bob McCartney.

The prize for the winning float is a fifteen dollar U of M banner.

The floats will be judged on originality of idea, number of people actually participating, overall effect, and craftsmanship. They will be judged as they pass the Jones Library in Amherst.

Nature Guide Club

The Nature Guide Association will meet next Tuesday at 7 p.m. in Room D, Fernald Hall. Members will show Kodakromes of their summer activities. All those interested are invited to attend.

Following the morning meetings the students went to eat. They found that the food was quite reasonable and also delicious, (particularly in the delegates' line).

Toured Grounds

After lunch they toured the building and the grounds while waiting for the afternoon meetings, which began at 3 o'clock. Outside the headquarters building they saw a great circle of flags representing the 59 member nations.

The building contains its own branch post office and bank, as well as a bookstore where a quantity of literature concerning the United Nations may be found. A benefit art exhibition was being held on the day of the trip.

There are four large committee rooms, complete with interpreters, and smaller rooms which have none. Members of the A.A.U.—the American Association for the United Nations—serve as guides for the immense U.N. headquarters.

Hort Show . . .

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a number of votes; too few, however, to allow the consideration of her possibilities in the final selection.

Regardless of who are the final candidates, the Reserve Officers' Training Corps wishes to congratulate the nominees and thank them for their fine co-operation.

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Campus Chest . . .

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among students in war-ravaged nations.

Also included in the drive are the Cancer, Heart, Tuberculosis, and Polio drives, making the Campus Chest a member benefit instead of holding separate drives during the year.

Part of the drive's funds this year will go to establish a scholarship for foreign students on this campus not supported by their own governments. Several of these students in the past have suffered hardships for lack of the necessities, and it is hoped that this fund will enable the University to care for them better.

Solicitation for the drive, under the chairmanship of Walter Foster, will be carried out by student representatives in all dormitories, fraternities and sororities. Commuters may mail contributions or leave them in the Alumni Office, Memorial Hall.

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Camel's for Mildness!

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sight before the show and released the night after. Congratulations are extended to the Wildlife majors for their trapping skill and confidence.

The Olericulture and Land Arch. exhibits drew a good deal of favorable comment, as did the Pomology department's appetizing display of fruit.

Professional Displays

The commercial gardeners added that "professional touch" with outstanding arrangements of carnations, roses, camellias and crysanthemums. Outside exhibits were all entered by members of the Holyoke and Northampton Florists and Gardeners clubs.

Pre-packaged flowers, a florist's dream of low-priced mass-produced beauty, were prominently displayed.

Student Art Exhibit

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corpuscles and oxygen tents may be interested to learn that this was not the work of a pre-med student after all. The artist, Miss June Simons, confessed to a Collegian reporter that the painting was a conglomerate of her thoughts after spending a summer in the hospital.

Professor Paul Procopio stated during an interview that only the great cooperation and enthusiasm of the students made the show possible. The funds obtained through the student sales of corsages and refreshments were the exhibition's only source of revenue. The wonderful job done by Bruce Fuller and Bill Walsh, Co-chairmen of the entire exhibition, continued Prof. Procopio, was instrumental to the show's success.

Dean Clark Thayer of the Horticultural Department.

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Arrow Shorts

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walls of the gaily decorated balcony.

And those of you who were mystified by the impressionistic painting containing hypodermic needles, microscopes,

More Space in a New Home means even Better Service for you!

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At the movies her husband would make,

So get some! she pleaded.

Arrow Shorts are what's needed.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Political Union

Dr. David Rozman, member of the research staff of the Economics Department, will speak on the Brannan Plan at the next Political Union meeting to be held at 7:30 p.m. next Wednesday in Old Chapel, room D.

The Brannan Plan, which deals with government aid to the farm interest, will be outlined by Dr. Rozman. An informal discussion will follow his speech.

All those who are interested are invited to attend the meeting.

Faculty Tea

A tea for Women who have joined the faculty as staff members or wives during 1948-49 will be given by the executive committee of the University of Massachusetts faculty women, at Stockbridge House on Thursday, November 17, at 3:30 p.m.

Int Relations

The International Relations Club held its first meeting of the year last Thursday night at Old Chapel.

Professor Ames Pierce, adviser to the club, talked briefly on the purpose of the organization—to keep students in all the organizations, not necessarily history, abreast of current events.

Voting for officers resulted in the following elections: President, Edgar Buck; Vice-President, Robert Mitchell; Secretary-Treasurer, Joseph Renie Frank; Librarian, Louis Cushing; and Chairman of the Program Committee, Roderick Bell.

Committees chosen included: Charles Stanjuras, William Savard, and Lester Wishnet for the Recording Analyst Committee; and Lillian Karas, Barbara Flaherty, and Paul Gagnon for the Publicity Committee. Several members volunteered to represent this school at the national conference of the Carnegie Foundation to be held next month at the University of New Hampshire.

The club is to meet once every three weeks. The second meeting will take place the first week of December.

Bac Club

There will be a meeting Tuesday, November 17, at 7:30 p.m. of the Bacteriology Club in Marshal Annex. The speaker will be Mr. Joseph McCarthy, Chief of Laboratory Lawrence Experimental Station, who will talk on, "The Use of Bacteriology in the Disposal of Some Difficult Industrial Wastes". A short movie, and refreshments. All invited to attend.

Concert Band

The U of M Concert Band will commence rehearsals next Tuesday, November 15 at 7 p.m. at Room 119, Skinner Hall; it was announced by Stanley Charm, General Manager of the University Bands.

The first concert on campus will be December 1st. On January 13th the Band will perform at the Veterans' Hospital, Leeds, Mass. Other engagements are being planned. The group is comprised of the Marching and Dance Bands, as well as all girl wind instrumentalists on campus.

Calendar . . .

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MEETING, Stockbridge, Student Council, Memorial Hall, Room 3, 7:00.

REHEARSAL, Chorus, Skinner Auditorium, 7:00.
REHEARSAL, String Quartet, Skinner Room 114, 8:00.
MEETING, Naiads, Pool, 7:15.

Thursday, November 17
PERFORMANCE, Operetta — Girl Crazy — Bowker Auditorium, 8:15.
MEETING, SCA, Skinner Auditorium, 7:00.

MEETING, Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00.
REHEARSAL, Symphony, Skinner Hall, Room 119, 7:30.

REHEARSAL, Roister Doisters, Chapel Auditorium, 7:00.
MEETING, Military Ball Committee, French Hall, 7:00.

MEETING, Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00.

Outing Club

The next meeting of the Outing Club will be held next Wednesday, November 15, at room 102 in Stockbridge Hall. The brief business meeting will be followed by the planning of future trips and discussion of what the student desires in activities.

Prof. Vondell will give a talk accompanied by colored slides on the Appalachian Trail from Massachusetts northward. The meeting will conclude with free refreshments for all Outing Club members and a slight charge for non-members. Everyone is welcome.

Poultry Club

The Poultry Science Club will sponsor a roller skating party at the Gables in South Deerfield next Monday at 7 o'clock. For tickets or transportation, please contact Virginia Bennett, Lee Larson, or George Fellows.

There will be a meeting next Wednesday, at 7 o'clock in Bowditch Lodge. Mr. David Ferzoco of Swift & Company will speak on "The Breeding Business of New England."

Chem Club

The Chemistry Club announces the election of the following new officers who will work in conjunction with the regularly elected executive committee: Publicity Chairman, Robert Grimley, '51; Social Chairman, Betty Vander Pol, '51; Nancy Keane, '51; and Larry Ford, '51.

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LOST: A pair of rimless glasses in a brown case with a metal stripe. Lost in the vicinity of Draper Hall. Please notify K. Jones, Draper. Reward.

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Black Eversharp pen. Please return to Lois Rubin, Sigma Delta Tau.

Forestry Club

The next meeting of the Forestry Club will be held next Wednesday, November 15, at 7:30 p.m. instead of the usual third Tuesday of the month.

The featured speaker of the evening will be Professor W. A. Husmeier of the graduate school of Business Administration, Harvard University. Well known in forestry circles for his interest in utilization problems, Professor Husmeier will speak on some of the phases of the industry.

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Fuchs-Istomin Concert Monday Night Attracts Crowd of 1750

An appreciative crowd of over 1700 people heard Joseph Fuchs and Eugene Istomin in a joint piano and violin recital Monday night, November 7, in the Cage.

In the second Concert Association program of the year, the noted musicians lived up ably to their advance publicity as "a perfect violin player" and "one of the best interpreters of Chopin".

Mr. Istomin, who also began as a child prodigy, is today considered to be one of the leading interpreters of Chopin. Since this is the 100th anniversary of Chopin's death, his selections, appropriately enough, were two works by Chopin: the *Impromptu in F-Sharp major* and the *Scherzo in B minor*.

The second half of the program featured the two artists in *Cesar Franck's Sonata in A Major*. Each of the performers, in their solo parts of the concert gave numerous encores; but after the duet, with the crowd demanding more, they politely explained that "we just don't know any more dues". They had done enough, though, with an excellent program of wide audience appeal.

Rifle Team

The varsity Rifle Team began its practice this week under the direction of coach M-Sgt. Harry Platt.

Practice is held on the rifle range behind North College from 3:30 on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday afternoons.

Anyone interested in competing for a place on the team may report this week to the coach during the practice sessions.

Dairy Club

The second meeting of the Dairy Club took place in Flint Lab on November 2 at 7:00. The speaker, Mr. Young of Foxboro, Mass., discussed Instrumentation in the Dairy Industry.

Mr. Nelson and Donald McKay also spoke about their trip to California for the Milk Judging Contest. Refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be on November 16 at 7:00 in Flint Lab 204.

Joseph Donovan, milk inspector of Brookline, will speak on "The Practical Aspects of Milk Inspection."

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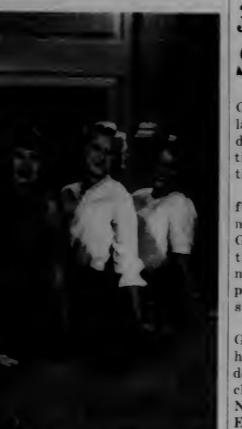
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Colonel Finalists



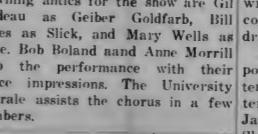
The five lovely young lasses above are the finalists who will compete for the title of "Honorary Colonel" at the Mill Ball, Friday, December 2nd. Posed in front of the fireplace at Skinner Hall, they are Jo O'Rourke, Vicki Milandri, Judy Sanders, Barbara Konopka, and Joan Hartley. —Photo by Kosarick

'Girl Crazy' on For 3 More Nights; Sellouts Probable

The initial performance of "Girl Crazy" took the stage at Bowker last night before a near capacity audience. The Operetta Guild production will run for three more nights through Saturday.

Advanced ticket sales indicate a full house for the performance tomorrow night and Saturday, but the Guild management reports that many tickets are still available for tonight's performance. They can be purchased at the C-Store. Prices are sixty cents, ninety cents and \$1.20.

This presentation of one of George Gershwin's most popular musicals has Ed Purrington and Lorna Wilson in the lead roles. Providing the clowning antics for the show are Gil Nadeau as Geiber Goldberg, Bill Estes as Slick, and Mary Wells as Kate. Bob Boland and Anne Morrill help the performance with their dance impressions. The University Chorale assists the chorus in a few numbers.



Colonel Candidates Cut To 5

A vote of seven hundred R.O.T.C. students at Bowker Auditorium on December 8th of November nominated the following candidates as finalists, one whom will be chosen as Honorary Colonel at the Military Ball. In alphabetical order they are:

Joan Hartley, Class '51, Stockbridge.

Barbara Konopka, Class '52.

Vicki Milandri, Class '52.

Jeanne O'Rourke, Class '51.

Judy Sanders, Class '53.

Duke Ellington's orchestra will be at the ball, tickets for which are on sale to the student body and general public by Monday, Advanced Ball Chairman David Tavel.

Advanced ticket sales for the afternoon were exceptionally heavy, an indication that this year's ball may break the attendance record for a campus formal set by last year's.

In Duke Ellington, the Military Ball Committee has obtained one of the finest and most popular orchestras in the nation. The Duke is perhaps best known for his own musical style of which "Mood Indigo" is typical. In contrast to those who associate Ellington with jazz, he has led excellent dance orchestras,

and his performance at the ball on December 2nd, should be ample proof of that.

Interest in this year's Honorary Colonel selection has been very keen, and the number of spectators at the voting in Bowker together with the Cadets filled the auditorium.

Scholarship Established

With proceeds from the large attendance at the Military Ball of the past two years, a scholarship was established by the Military Department to aid incoming freshman students. It is the sincere hope of the R.O.T.C. staff to maintain this scholarship in the interests of the student body of the university.

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Student Aid Needed

Prof. Maxwell H. Goldberg, faculty adviser to the drive committee emphasized again that the World Student Service Fund depends solely upon student contributions such as those from the Campus Chest.

Dr. Goldberg said he was impressed with the attitude toward WSSF aid of a number of foreign students with whom he associated for two weeks last summer.

"They want us to give them, not charity, but the essentials needed to make them self-supporting," he said. "They are eager to shift from being recipients of aid to being givers to those less fortunate than they. It is amazing how much American student interest means in strengthening their morale."

Solicitation Committee

Walter Foster is general chairman of solicitation for the drive. The interfraternity Council under Harold Feinman is covering solicitation for fraternities, and the Panhellenic Council under Barbara Kinghorn is covering sororities. Sally Rosenblum is in charge of women's dormitory solicitors.

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Rochester Philharmonic Leads 'Holidays of Music'

The second annual "Holidays of Music," presented by the Music Guild, begins on December 5, and will run through the 15th.

Admission to all concerts is free with the exception of the performance by the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra (price for non-members of the concert association—\$1.20) and the chorus's production of the "Messiah" (price \$.60). The public is cordially invited to attend the entire program.

This is the second year in which a program of this sort will be held. Last year it was a great success and ran from November 14-23. Similar to last year there will be a variety of events, ranging from informal jazz to sacred music. Most of the programs average one hour so that there will be no interference with study hours.

The various concerts that are scheduled are as follows: Dec. 5—Choral concert at Old Chapel Auditorium, 8:15 p.m. Dec. 6—Valley Octet Concert at Old Chapel Auditorium, 8:00 p.m. (Amherst, Mt. Holyoke, Smith and the University) Dec. 7—Joint Faculty Concert at Old Chapel Auditorium, 8:00 p.m. Dec. 8—Student Concert at Skinner Auditorium, 11:00 a.m.

Dec. 9—Choral, away from campus Dec. 10—Broadcast WMUA Dec. 11—Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra, cage, 2:30 p.m. Dec. 12—Dance Band Concert, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15 p.m.

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Recess Commission Meets With Prexy

Nine members of the Recess Commission on Education met on campus Tuesday, to consider several measures dealing with the university which will be brought up before the legislature at the next session.

Members of the commission present included: Commission Chairman Ralph C. Maher, Representative Maurice A. Donahue of Holyoke, Rep. John Lynch of Springfield, Rep. William A. Cowing of West Springfield, Rep. Wilfred Mirsky of Boston, Rep. Harold Putnam of Needham, Rep. Belden G. Bly of Saugus, and Mr. John T. Sullivan, research consultant of the commission.

Met in Prexy's Office

The legislators met in the Presidents office at the University from

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Dance Group To Perform Ballet In Roister Doister Production

For the first time in Roister Doister history, the dramatic group will present the physical education department, and Agnes McDonough, Dance representative of the Women's Athletic Association.

According to Miss Hubbard, there is no set choreography to the ballet, so the girls will work cooperatively in setting the pattern of the dance. It will not be performed as a regular ballet, but will incorporate steps commonly considered as part of the modern dance repertoire.

The girls who will take part in the ballet are Betsy Acheson, Patricia Perry, Agnes McDonough, Pauline Strong, Arlene Brusso, Helen Woloshyn, Joan Hartley, Eileen Stern, Patricia Smith, and Arlene Lundgren. The first six girls are former members of the Modern Dance club and have taken part in at least one previous dance production. The last four are freshmen who have shown unusual talent in the art of modern dancing.

Mills Holds First Dorm Housewarming On Eve of Holiday

The first dormitory housewarming within the recent history of the U of M was held last Thursday evening

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Report From Infirmary

To the Editor:

My letter on the infirmary question will probably arrive at a most opportune moment—I say opportune, because (1) this controversy is now in the open and (2) perhaps the sensationalism of my bicycle accident and the knowledge gained from my week's stay in the infirmary will make my testimony valid.

Contrary to rumors and general impressions that I had received as an unscathed freshman and sophomore, my sojourn at the university infirmary was complete with efficient care plus appealing trays and courteous attention. Both Dr. Radcliffe and his nurses were prompt in their medical care to my cut eye and various bruises, and they secured against future complications by the tetanus shot.

The particular reason we see here is the spirit, we can even say the indomitable spirit, of Smith Women as exemplified by Mrs. Francis I. McGarragh of Washington, chairman of a benefit committee of the Smith Alumnae Club.

The other morning, as the news story relates, Mrs. McGarragh was attacked by a panther as she was being interviewed on a daily radio program known as "Brunch with Nan and Bill." The lady from Smith was telling Nan and Bill about the benefit show which she directs when this panther growling about the studio spied the mink furpiece which Mrs. McGarragh wore. His snarls drowning out the speaker's voice, the panther sprang at her, fastened his teeth and claws in the furpiece and dragged it to the floor.

Nan—probably a product of Vassar, Wellesley, or some such—fled from the scene; Bill remained at the mike to give a full account of the story; Mrs. McGarragh managed a nervous laugh and assured the audience that "she didn't even scratch me." This while the growling beast in back of her was still busy ripping the mink scarf to pieces. To a question a few minutes later she stated that she "didn't mind it at all." "After all," she added, "it was wonderful publicity for our Smith benefit show." What pose, what unselfish devotion to the cause. With workers such as Mrs. McGarragh, Smith has cause to give thanks, this being the season for it. (Women of the university you see lies ahead. Mind not to wear your minds to radio programs.)

Speaking of contributions reminds us that the school owes thanks to its own alumni, particularly for aid in financing the building program with an investment totalling almost three million dollars since 1939.

WORLD NEWS IN BRIEF

New York, Nov. 8.—The Democrats, day from the Truman cabinet. His win a sweeping victory in today's election, to be vacated about Dec. 1, will probably be filled by Oscar L. Lehman was elected to the Senate, under-Secretary of the Interior, by the majority of the defeating Republican John Foster Dulles. In the city's mayoralty contest, Mayor O'Dwyer was re-elected over his Republican Liberal-Fusion opponent, Newbold Morris and the American Labor Party candidate, Vito Marcantonio. In Boston, ex-governor and Mayor James Curley finally lost an election. John R. Hynes with the strong support of Secretary of Labor Tobin, became mayor of the city.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 11—177,000 steel workers were ordered back to their jobs today as the United States Steel Corporation and the United Steel Workers signed a two year contract, officially ending the tie-up in the steel industry which started six weeks ago. The terms of the agreement followed the Bethlehem Steel formula.

Chicago, Nov. 9.—The soft coal strike has been called off for three weeks. John L. Lewis has ordered his miners back to work until the end of this month when the strike may be renewed.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Secretary of the Interior, J. A. Krug resigned to

Dean Applauds Spirit
To the Editor:

It will be very much appreciated if you can publish in the *Collegian* my feelings concerning the rally here on November 11 was excellent and certainly should make everyone feel that the long dormant spirit of the University of Massachusetts has at last been awakened. I wish it were possible for me to personally congratulate everyone who had a part in the affair.

It has been my privilege and pleasure to be on quite a number of college campuses in one capacity or another and I have had the opportunity of seeing a great deal of campus spirit. I must say that the spirit that

was demonstrated by all those who participated in the parade and rally on November 11 was excellent and certainly should make everyone feel that the long dormant spirit of the University of Massachusetts has at last been awakened. I wish it were

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Sincerely yours,
Robert S. Hopkins, Jr.
Dean of Men

It may be that more publicity for

Speakers For WSSF Explain Aims To Solicitors For Chest Campaign

Also speaking on behalf of the drive were Mr. Fiete Schulenberg, former National Vice-President of NSA, spoke to a meeting of the Campus Chest solicitors Tuesday night, November 8, on behalf of the German students' condition.

Miss Mimi Hawkins, chairman of the recent WSSF drive at Smith College who outlined the techniques used by Smith in their campaign for funds.

He explained that there was still a definite need in Europe, and that failure on the part of American stu-

—THE HOUSE OF WALSH—
Not too early to think of formal clothes for Military Ball. Tuxedo Tails for sale and rental—Consult Tom

Kappa Sig To Give Drill Team, Band Will Hold Banquet Saturday Night

Kappa Sigma fraternity will hold its fourth annual Embassy Ball next Saturday evening. Preceding this will be a "Harris Brawl" dance on Friday night, complete with bumpkin costumes and an old-fashioned hayride to the affair. The house will be appropriately decorated with corn stalks, pumpkins, and so on.

The Embassy Ball dates back to 1945, when it was inaugurated, inspired by the United Nations Conference to promote world-wide peace.

Since its advent, it has been a marked success, and this year's version appears to be no exception.

Music for the formal will be provided by Billy Vincent and his orchestra, who is rated as one of the better dance bands in Massachusetts.

Committees for the affair are as follows: Decorations: Francis Anderson, chairman; John Early; John Hart, "Ox" Vara; Refreshments: Fred Allen, chairman; Phil Cheney, Francis Wisnosky. Entertainment: Fred Cole, chairman; Jim Duffy, Wally Hayridge, committee: Bob Law, chairman; Dick Bailey; Herb Emanuel.

Chaperons for the dance will be

The rising T.B. rate among Chinese students would be even higher if it were not for the food and medical aid WSSF provides for them.

dent to send relief there now would cause the loss of all that has been accomplished thus far.

Aid to European students, he reported, helps fight fear and thereby fights the rise of totalitarian government.

Questioned as to whether the aid goes behind the Iron Curtain, he stated that money and supplies from WSSF goes only where they are certain to reach the student.

Speaking on the aims and policies of WSSF, Mr. West was accompanied by Kay Beach, a former University of Massachusetts instructor, who has been in charge of distributing WSSF aid in China.

Mr. Beach explained the methods of distributing aid, and he confirmed the fact that funds were going only to the most destitute students.

To the Editor:

We are somewhat puzzled by the recent decision of the *Collegian* that there was no room for an article advertising the University Sportsday held last Friday. The purpose of the Sportsday was to raise funds for the varsity "M" club athletic scholarship.

We justly expected cooperation in our publicity campaign from a *Collegian* that has openly advocated support of school athletic functions.

We were interested to note that some of the Springfield papers had room to give us some of our much-needed publicity. We expected at least an equal amount of effort on your part.

Varsity "M" Club
Women's Athletic Association

ED. Note: I regret that the Sportsday did not receive the publicity which it deserved. The reason there was no story printed was not, however, owing to any "decision" that there "was no room," nor was there any lack of effort. That is a misunderstanding. The *Collegian* failed to print the story because I made a mistake.

As the letter notes, the *Collegian* does advocate the support of school athletic functions. It will continue to do so. Barring further mistakes it expects to provide adequate publicity for future events staged by the "M" Club and WAA.

Saturday, November 18

PERFORMANCE. Operetta, Girl Crazy, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

MEETING. Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00

REHEARSAL. Symphony, Skinner Hall, Room 119, 7:30

MEETING. Roister Doisters, Chapel Auditorium, 7:00

MEETING. Military Ball Committee, French Hall, 7:00

MEETING. Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

MEETING. Lutheran Club, Grace Church, 7:00

Friday, November 19

PERFORMANCE. Operetta, Girl Crazy, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

DANCE. Kappa Sigma, Harvest Dance; Memorial Hall, Ball and Chain Dance; Butterfield, Freshman Hayride; and Invitation Dance; Alpha Tau Gamma, Invitation Football Dance.

Saturday, November 20

PERFORMANCE. Operetta, Girl Crazy, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

DANCE. Kappa Sigma, Embassy Ball, Formal, Invitation, Faculty Club Dance, Drill Hall; Stockbridge Freshman Reception, Memorial Hall, 8:00; Alpha Epsilon Pi, Open House, Prison Costume Dance; Alpha Gamma Rho, Invitation Dance; Sigma Phi Epsilon, Open House.

Wednesday, November 23

Vacation begins at 12 M.

Goal Post Decoration

To the Editor:

Last Saturday morning, the unpublicized and thus unknown freshman football team ended its season by running wild over Leicester Junior College to the tune of 63-0.

The team, coached by Red Ball, won its first game this year over Wesleyan with a score of 8-0. Their consecutive winning extending over the past few years was then snapped when they lost to AIC, 13-0, and Springfield College, 7-0.

Some recognition should be paid to the team for the work they have done. Until this time, even the box score has not been printed so that the freshmen could get acquainted with the players' names.

Joseph Broude, '53

(Ed. note) Admittedly Wesleyan game lost in the shuffle, but suggest that alert reader Broude reckoned Oct. 27, Nov. 10, Nov. 17 issues.

William L. Machmer, Dean

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

THOMAS F. WALSH
College OutfitterTheta Chi Float Wins Award In Rally Parade
Pi Phi, Sig Ep, Lambda Chi, In Runner-up Spots

The quiet college town of Amherst moved down Amity Street, around the common and back to the U down North Pleasant Street.

The floats were built Friday to take part in a contest sponsored by Adelphi and Isogen. The Indian motif predominated, with several of the entries having tepees, stakes and other Indian paraphernalia.

Theta Chi Gets Award

The winner of the contest was the Theta Chi float, which had a large authentic looking tepee, woods and Indians on it. Other entries given honorable mention by the judges were Pi Phi, Sig Ep, and Lambda Chi. The judges, Mr. Anthony Zaitz and Mr. Robert McCartney commented on the difficulty of making the award. "Many of the floats were excellent," said McCartney. "The winner was only a plus mark over the runner up."

The prize was a fifteen dollar UMB banner donated by Mr. Hawley of the C. The

Pi Phi Had Jumbos on Line

The runner up float put up by Pi Phi showed an elephant being put through the wringer and several little elephants hanging on the line. Sig Ep had a float with an Indian scene and Lambda Chi's bid was a scene depicting the perennial Sunday Morning quarterbacks.

Other effective jobs were entered by Kappa Alpha Theta and the Abbe Commonwealth. Theta's float used a circus theme and the Abbe-Commonwealth float had a padded Tufts' played tied to a stake, being pummeled with tomahawks in the hands of several Indian lasses.

Rally Best of Season

The parade and rally attracted many people to Bowker auditorium for the rally which followed the parade. It was easily the most effective rally of the year, and as far as this reporter is concerned the best of the last four years.

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY, NOV. 16, 1949

THE WORCESTER EXPRESS
FAST MOTOR COACH SERVICE
BETWEEN
AMHERST and WORCESTER

EASTBOUND TO WORCESTER

	Week Days	Sundays and Holidays
Lv. Northampton (Main Street)	7:25 A.M.	12:50 P.M.
Lv. Hadley (Town Hall)	7:33	12:58
Lv. University of Mass. (Experimental Station)	7:45	1:09
Lv. Amherst (Lord Jeff Inn)	7:49	1:14
Lv. Belchertown (Town Hall)	8:06	9:31
Ar. Ware (Town Hall)	8:26	1:51
Ar. West Brookfield (Town Hall)	8:39	2:04
Ar. Brookfield (Cross Roads Inn)	8:50	2:09
Ar. East Brookfield (Main Street)	8:55	2:15
Ar. Spencer (Town Hall)	8:56	2:21
Ar. Leicester (Center)	9:04	2:29
Ar. Worcester (B. & W. Terminal)	9:27	2:52
Ar. Worcester (Short Line Terminal)	9:32	2:57
No Local Passengers Accepted Between Ware and Worcester.	10:57	7:57

WESTBOUND TO NORTHAMPTON

	Week Days	Sundays and Holidays
Lv. Worcester (Short Line Terminal)	9:40 A.M.	5:05 P.M.
Lv. Worcester (B. & W. Terminal)	9:50	5:15
Lv. Leicester (Center)	10:10	5:35
Lv. Spencer (Town Hall)	10:19	5:44
Lv. East Brookfield (Main Street)	10:25	5:50
Lv. Brookfield (Cross Roads Inn)	10:32	5:57
Lv. Ware (Town Hall)	10:37	6:02
Lv. Belchertown (Town Hall)</		



SPORTS



UM Scores Early But Jumbos Recover to Belt Redmen, 27-7

The 1949 football season ended on a dismal note last Saturday afternoon when the Redmen dropped a 27-7 decision to Tufts College. The traditional season ending contest was viewed by more than 5000 fans, who saw the Eckmen take an early lead only to surrender it when Tufts began to click with its "non-existent" pass attack.

The Redmen took the opening kick-off and marched 76 yards for a score. A long pass from Beaumont to Anderson highlighted the drive which was climaxized by Andy's 22 yard sweep into the end zone. He converted and Massachusetts led 7-0. For the remainder of the first period and the early minutes of the second, both clubs battled on even terms, then Bennett, who proved to be the outstanding back on the field, started to spark the Jumbos. After dashing 25 yards to the Mass. 40 yard line he threw a pass that Mansfield grabbed on the 20 and ran the rest of the way to score. The PATD was wide and the locals lead was slashed to one point. The visitors scored again before the half when Bennett bucked over from the one yard line. This TD was set up when Schenidek blocked a kick of Fienman's and Tufts recovered deep in UM territory. The half ended with Tufts in the van 13-7.

The Jumbos tallied twice in the second half and per usual Bennett was the big gun. In the third cardio he passed to Frobert for a score, and in the final quarter completed a short pass to Mansfield in the end zone to close out the fray with the Redmen on the short end of the score, for the fifth time in eight outings.

The Redmen threatened several times in the last two periods but were never able to maintain any sustained drives.

MASSACHUSETTS
Ends, Roth, Huleck, Looney, Pyne, Knight.
Tackles, Warren, Kinaler, Nichols, Garver, Guards, Pasini, Desantoli, E. Driscoll, Flanders, Bauer.
Centers, A. Estelle, Speak, R. Driscoll, Baumer.
Blocks, Gleason, Beaumont, Anderson, Schenidek, Garrison, Drake, McManus, Feinman, Johnson, Bonati, Doherty.
Score By Periods
Tufts 0 13 5 7-27
Mass. 7 0 0 0-7
Jumbos, Mansfield 2, Bennett, Wall, Anderson.
Points after touchdowns, Schneider 3, Anderson 1, all by placement kicks.

And a Pox Upon You, SIR!

The following is a reprint in part from The Boston Traveler of Friday November 13, 1949, previous to last week's Tufts' encounter, and headlined, "Tufts vs. Umass Looms a Battle of Big Wail."

"The down-in-the-mouth Tufts College football team and the down-and-out University of Massachusetts squad will shed all semblance of grid sanity tomorrow at Amherst to renew hostilities for the 44th time in history.

If sanity prevails, the contest will prove as exciting as a rousing flower show. In a preliminary battle of walls before the actual battle of walls, the Statesmen have been pointing frantically at their four straight losses since winning their first three outings while the Jumbos have been gesturing, just as vehemently, at last week's 25-0 Durham disaster, and the 12 ensuing casualties.

"However, the week-long woe production is expected to dissipate into a thud just at the opening kickoff, and the fan on hand should be treated to another bruiser in this most traditional and unpredictable of contests."

Editor's Note: Ugh!



Marty Anderson skirts left end to register the lone UM tally in the first period of the Tufts game. Other UM players Beaumont (31), Bullock (40), trail Marty on the play.

—Photo by Tague

Clough, Cossar Finish In "First Ten" as R.I. Cops Harrier Jamboree

What ended Saturday was our foot ball season, and to say that it was a satisfying era would be stretching the vocabulary. But in some ways it wasn't a disappointing season, although campus "experts" picked the Redmen to drop, at most, two of the eight scheduled contests. Springfield, in the final quarter completed a short pass to Mansfield in the end zone to close out the fray with the Redmen on the short end of the score, for the fifth time in eight outings.

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Ludlow 2.0

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Finals
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FRESH BASKETBALL

Freshman basketball candidates are asked to report on Monday, November 21st at 5:10 p.m. in Room 10 in the Physical Education Building.

UM Booters Belt Tufts 4-1, After Losing 6-1 To Maroons

High School Soccer Crown Goes To Ludlow

Four of the outstanding high school soccer teams in western Mass. battled it out for the championship of this area on the UM soccer field during the past week. A delegation of 200 noisy fans saw Ludlow high walk off with the championship by virtue of their 2-0 win over a good Springfield Tech squad in the final.

In this, the fourth annual Western Massachusetts High School Invitation Soccer Tournament, the Ludlow booters dominated the scene as they posted wins over Trade, Monroe Academy and Springfield Tech. In their semi-final tussle Springfield had a close call as they squeaked past a small Hopkins Academy team, 3-2.

This marks the first year that the final game has been played here at the UM. In previous years the only games played have been the semifinal rounds, all preliminary elimination contests being held on the respective home team's grounds.

Larry Briggs, coach of the UM soccer team and on the official's committee for the tourney was pleased both with the turnout and the manner in which the tourney was run off. Remarked Mr. Briggs, "This tournament definitely serves as good publicity for the UM since it will introduce high schoolers to the campus here and may result in some of the outstanding high school soccer players coming here."

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F. M. THOMPSON & SON

Basketball Squad Cut To 23 By Ball

After suffering a 6-1 defeat at the hands of undefeated Springfield College, the UM soccer team rebounded three days later (Sat.) and belted traditional rival, Tufts, 4-1, in their season's windup.

Teamplay was very much in evidence as the Redmen booters turned in their finest performance of the year in the Tufts encounter. This is indicated by the fact that 4 different men booted home the goals that the Jumbos down.

Following is a roster of the basketball candidates remaining after Red's first cut:

Lewis Baldwin '51, Art Barnett '52, Paul Bourdeau '52, Samuel Couture '51, Donald Cozzens '52, Richard Erlanson '52, Ray Gagnon '51, Phil Goldstein '51, Ray Gune '52, Bob Johnston '51, Ed McCauley '51, Allan McKinnon '52, Peter Misakian '52, Ed Tyler '52, Richard Scully '52, Ed White, Alex Gorskey '51, Hal Ostman '51, Richard Vanasse '52, William Prevey '52, William Schrein-

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Kulas and Lubich put the game on ice for the UM as they both tagged single markers in the third period. The final quarter saw Tufts pressing hard to overcome a good goal deficit but they were only able to dent the UM nets once. The Jumbos goal was scored by Bennett, a star for the Tufts booters throughout the year.

This game marked the finale of 8 UM players, all seniors; Coopersburg and Tobey, Carew, E. F. Kolas, A. Ferreira, W. Fitzgerald, Gunz and A. Castrebro. The game gave the Redmen a record of 4 wins, 5 losses, and 1 tie schedule during the course of a very stiff tour.

Always in search of new talent, he is the donor of three annual musical scholarships to the famed Juilliard School in New York City. Although he achieved fame without an excessive amount of formal training, he feels that a classical background is a necessity for devotees of both popular and serious music.

Rejected Art Scholarship

Born Edward Kennedy Ellington in Washington, D.C., he rejected an art scholarship at Pratt Institute to play piano in several minor bands around Washington. He later went with five other musicians to New York, hoping that Gotham might be receptive to his music.

After a scoreless first period Springfield came to life and blazed two goals past UM goalie Gunn who turned in another fine performance.

In 1942 he wrote and appeared in the musical revue "Jump for Joy" on the Pacific Coast and the overwhelming success of his 20th anniversary concert at Carnegie Hall a year later was followed by a series of concert performances in many of the principal cities throughout the country.

Featured in "Show Girl"

Success followed with the years. He was featured in Ziegfeld's "Show Girl," appeared in a show with Maurice Chevalier on Broadway, and made several films in Hollywood. His orchestra debuted George Gershwin's "Concerto in F" as a ballet and completed a highly successful European tour in 1933 and again in 1939.

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Lambda Chi Initiation

The following men were recently initiated into Lambda Chi Alpha: William Manley, Robert J. Blinn, Ned Campbell, Robert O. Clapp, Chesley W. Corkum, George Delaney, Robert H. Krock, John Kenney, Marshall McDonald, John F. McGraw, Donald K. Salander, Richard F. Tipton, Richard J. Vanasse, Bill Burns, James Stapleton, Bert Naris, Ben Galas, Jim Cassani, 51, and Avery Smith, 50, were pledged.

The prose, poetry, and art contributions are all eligible for the \$15 cash award to be given to the outstanding contributions in the book, Miss Hamel said. Mr. Lane of the English department, Mr. Ross of the Physics department, and Mr. McEvily of the Fine Arts department will judge the prizes equally among them.

Some of the highlights of the book will be short stories by Hank Lawrence, Bill Mullins, and Lewis Peters; poetry by Bruce Bowen, Louise Moncey, Phil Johnson, Robert Davies, and Harold Grant; paintings by June Simons and Dave Smith; and photographs by Peter Wolff and Bill Tague.

Leading by four touchdowns at the close of the first half, the Little Indians kept rolling and piled up as high a total of points as is likely to be seen around here. This win gave the Ballmen a season's mark of 2 wins, 2 losses.

The magazine will be distributed free of charge to all students. Copies may be picked up at all dorms, fraternity and sorority houses, and at Memorial Hall for commuters.

ALL WOOL SHIRTS

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Vanishing American Views Miserable Deal From Palefaces

By Chief Suetash

Over three hundred years ago my ancestors, peeking out through the bushes, saw a bunch of anemic peasants staggering off Plymouth Rock. At the moment, they just muttered, "Give 'em time, they'll die off."

Boy, were they surprised a year or so later when they came back and found them still there. The Chief, noticing how the palefaces dressed, made them add feathers and arm bracelets. Was that meat a stinker. There they were, expecting something new and they got it. All they got was corn meal mush.

The only thing wrong with it all is that we're supposed to talk Indian. Are they for real? Can't even go in a saloon and say, "Double shot of Schenley's, Mac." No, it's got to be, "Me wantum firewater!" Ugh! I manage to get by riding. Riding down the slope I yell to the waitress, "One Corned beef and cream cheese on Rye," and

she says, "Well, it's too late now. What's done is done. But, thinking back, jumping Germonino! If only some ancestor with lots of foresight and a little guts had censored—

LOST

LOST: Blue leather wallet containing identification, between Drill Field and Draper Wednesday, Nov. 9. Finder please return to John Kennedy, Thatcher Hall 305.

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY, NOV. 16, 1949

MOTOR COACH SERVICE

BETWEEN

Northampton-Hadley-Amherst & Univ. of Mass.

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Boston Herald Columnist Sketches 1949 UM Football Squad Toynbee Hails TCOMS Most Accurate Saga Since GWTW



Lil' Southern Gal Gets Scoop On First Thanksgiving Dinner

By Mary Lou Beauregard Lee
Well, I was so pleased when the editor asked me to write a story about the first Thanksgiving dinner that I forgot to tell him I didn't know anything about it. Not that we don't have Thanksgiving Day down in Yoknapatawpha County, Mississippi, where I come from, but we aren't as close to the history of the holiday the way you people up here in New England are.

Fortunately, I was able to find several very nice boys who live around here and they were only too glad to help me out. We all went down to Grandy's and they told me the story while I took notes. I didn't lose my notes this time, so here's the whole story of the first Thanksgiving dinner the way it was told to me.

First of all, there were these people over in England who didn't like the way the King was throwing their tea into the English Channel without paying any taxes on it, so they decided to call themselves Pilgrims and come over to the United States. Well, they got three ships called the *Ezio*, the *Pinza*, and the *Santa Maria*, and a Captain Bligh to sail them and off they went for New England. The Pilgrims had a terrible time crossing the ocean. They ran into some awful storms, and a horrible sailor named Fletcher Christmas kept wanting

Poster Contest Scheduled Soon

What does Dartmouth's Winter Carnival have that ours doesn't? Publicity—and lots of it!

This year, too, will have publicity. A poster contest will run from December 1-9. The prize-winning poster will be lithographed and distributed at an early date throughout all the colleges in the New England states.

Anyone and everyone is welcome to enter the contest. Submit one, two, or three entries. Entries should be sent in to Wilder Hall.

The rules for the contest are as follows:

1. Size—22"x28" or 20"x25"
2. Subject—anything suggesting or depicting the U of M Winter Carnival.
3. Color—black and white.
4. Date Due—December 1-9.

The first prize for the contest is \$10 plus a ticket to Carnival Ball. Second prize is \$5 plus a ticket, and third prize is \$3 plus a ticket.

The judges will include Mr. Ian Maclever, Mr. Carl Putnum, and Mr. Randolph Johnston of the school of Fine Arts, Mrs. Harvey Sweetman of the Applied Arts Department of the college of Home Economics, and Mr. Carl Rogers of the Fine Arts Department of Amherst College.

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Every year about this time we get to thinking about turkeys, stuffing, cranberry sauce, pilgrims, and lines like 'over the hills and through the woods to Grandma's house we go.' We also associate Thanksgiving with stories like 'The Courtship of Miles Standish', and each year we offer up received in his duel with Alexander Hamilton (Sidney Greenstreet), he has yet to enlighten the public on the retreat from Caporetto, their usual garbled version of Americana. M-G-M or Warner Bros. would have a field day.

We herein submit our scenario, which we feel is a cinch for the Academy Award.

Lights, Action, Etc.
"We pan in on a big, huge Thanksgiving' feed bein' trun in the goobernatorial mansion of Governor Winthrust, (Claude Raines). Among the gathered guests present are his niece, Priscilla Mullins, (Ingrid Bergman or Corinne Calvet) who is secretly unbeknownst to anyone is in love with John Alderman (Paul Henreid) who is a boozum buddy of Miles Standoffish, (Humphrey Bogart) who's got it bad for Priscilla and is also suspected of buying his liquor and cigarettes over the state line. The Governor gets wind of this and sends Miles and John off on an expedition to quell an Indian uprising led by renegade Jeffery Amherst (Peter Lorre).

In the ensuing battle Miles is wounded and just before he is captured tells John to go back and give the word to Priscilla. When John gets back he elopes to Reno with Priscilla. The Governor gets wind of this and sends Paul Revere (John Wayne) to warn every Middlesex village and farm. In the meantime Miles Standish who was about to be burned at the stake has been rescued by Pocahontas (Wanda Hendrix). He marries her and with his trusty band of swamp rats goes off to discover a Northwest Passage. The governor gets wind of this and challenges Benedict Arnold to a duel.

Meanwhile John and Priscilla have returned from their honeymoon only to find that Fort Sumter has been fired upon. Now all the youth of England are on fire and silken dallying in the wardrobe lies.

Wind Busy As Hell
The governor gets wind of this and before he dies of the wound he

turns back to the Tufts-Redmett football game.

The orphans were brought to the game through the efforts of Adelphia and Isogon. Tickets to the contest were donated by Mr. Warren McGuirk of the athletic department.

The children, all boys between the ages of 7 and 12, were brought to the game by bus and arrived just as the game got under way.

LOST: Wrist Watch "Starina." Don Thibault, 312 Brooks.

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Quite right, young-man-about-to-live-in-a-cave! Their perfect-fitting, good looking collars are downright irresistible. They can "take it" too, and will give you long, hard wear. Your choice of broadcloth or oxford—regular or French cuffs. \$3.65 up.

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Topics from the Tower

By Barb Curran

Classes in announcing and script writing for WMUA are to be held under the personal direction of Mr. and Mrs. Stelkovitz.

These classes will train students in the fundamentals of radio announcing and radio writing.

Mr. Stelkovitz, formerly of Emerson College, will work together with Mrs. Stelkovitz on this project which will be held one hour per week. Mrs. Stelkovitz has a weekly program on WCOP in Boston.

Live Talent To Be Featured
Louise Moncey and her accordian will be heard this Friday evening at 8:15.

Future programs will be broadcast from Skinner Auditorium featuring live campus talent.

The request program will be sent over the air Saturday nights from eight to twelve. Featured on this program will be popular recorded music and any requests received from our dial.

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LOST: Ladies' Bulova wristwatch; lost last Friday evening near the University. Initials on back—CEG; date—10/6/44. Reward. Call 500-M after 6 P.M.

LOST
LOST: One guy bathtub; lost from one of the floats between Bowker Auditorium along Ellis Drive to Lewis. Finder please notify Rosalyn Davidson, Lewis.

Mills ...
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Langill was on hand to operate the loudspeaker system and represent WMUA.

Committees were as follows: Ray Hegarty, Bob Guertin, refreshments; Bob Silver, Jim Stone, ad invitation; John Zaccaro, decorations. Helping on the latter committee were Mr. and Mrs. John Kaczowski, while general inspiration was given by Mark Levine.

Chairman Castraberti, who also took care of entertainment, especially thanked the housing office, which provided chairs; the college greenhouse, whose ferns were used; and Draper, from which the refreshment committee obtained utensils.

Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Singer and Mr. and Mrs. William Needham.

Registrar Marshall Lanphear submitted several statements to the commission during the business session in the morning.

Section of Report Concerns UM
It was reported by the legislators that a section of their report to the legislature would deal with the U of M.

One of the visitors, Rep. Mirsky, attended an eight o'clock class in the Math building. He asserted he was pleased with the class, its instruction and the attention of the students. He added that he thought the university could use a new Math Building.

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FRIDAY SATURDAY NOV. 18-19

SUN. MON. TUES. NOV. 20-21-22

TOWN HALL
FRIDAY SATURDAY NOV. 18-19

SUNDAY MONDAY NOV. 20-21

Music ...

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Dec. 13—Chowder & Marching Society Concert, Old Chapel Auditorium, 8:00 p.m.
Dec. 14 and 15—"Messiah", Bowker Auditorium, 8:00 p.m.

Campus Chest ...
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Residence solicitation captains are as follows: Butterfield, Paul Robbins; Chadbourne and Greenough, Charles Stefano; Brooks, Seymour Franken; Mills, Bruce Cooley; Middlesex, William Cole; Plymouth, George Delaney; Berkshire, Richard Erlandson; Commonwealth Circle, Philip Gilmore; Draper, Jeffrey Troy; Federal Circle, Suffolk and Hampshire, Dan Hurid; trailer camps, William Troy; Abigail Adams House, Judy Rubinoff; Lewis, Julie Cichon; Thatcher, Judy Broder.

A commuter's committee has sent letters to all commuters and married students. Members are Fred Davis, Sally Davis, William Hafey, Robert Putnam, Donald Weidhaas, and Carl

Hayakawa ...

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even though they have been partly and very glad that we are to have this human and witty expert in applied semantics to talk to us. Hearing him recently at MIT and Harvard, I have found him a straight-shooter and a good sport when under fire. He appeals to students and professors of many different departmental interests. Cutting across departmental lines, he gives one a lively experience in general education.

Music for this gala affair will be by *Carmen's Rhythmers* of Springfield. They have been rated one of the best bands in Western Massachusetts.

It would be deeply appreciated if any Stockbridge student, freshman or senior, who is not busy on the nineteenth, would come to Memorial Hall and lend a hand with the decorations.

light of psychiatric research and practice, Dr. Hayakawa continually demonstrates an interrelative, integrative mind in action."

Stockbridge Notes

Plans are rapidly nearing completion for what is expected to be the best reception given by a Stockbridge Senior Class to date.

This reception and dance, an annual affair, will be held on Saturday in Memorial Hall. Those who plan to attend are requested to obtain their invitations, free of charge, at the Short Course office this week.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Frat Round Robin
All freshmen interested in joining a fraternity are invited to Memorial Hall next Sunday when they will make a tour from there through the fraternity houses.

This is an excellent opportunity for those interested to meet and become acquainted with fraternity men on this campus. Because of the tremendous size of this year's freshman class, it is asked that all those whose last name begins with A to L come at 2 p.m. The rest are requested to attend at 5 p.m.

IFC Convocation

Freshmen men attending last Thursday's convocation were introduced to the plan of fraternities on this campus. Hal Feinman, President of the Interfraternity council, welcomed the freshmen and discussed the activities of fraternities. He emphasized in particular Greek week and fraternity contributions to campus spirit.

The principle address was delivered by Professor Richard Colwell of the Economics department. After outlining reasons for the growth of fraternities, he discussed the ideals, influences on character development, and their contribution to group organization.

Hank Thompson, vice-president of the IFC council, closed the program by explaining the mechanics of rushing.

The council was well rewarded for its efforts by the large turnout of freshmen present for the occasion.

Pre-Med Club

The second meeting of the Pre-Med Club will take place in conjunction with the Pre-Med Club of Amherst College tomorrow night at 7:15 in Moore Chemistry Laboratory on the Amherst campus.

The speaker will be Dr. Thomas R. Forbes, Assistant Dean of Yale Medical School, who will speak on "The Pre-Med Student" with emphasis on medical school requirements.

All interested persons are invited and every pre-med and pre-med major is strongly urged to attend.

Pan-Hel Handbook

All women interested in art competition for the Panhellenic Handbook please call Lael Powers, Amherst \$310. Work will include a picture for the cover of the book plus smaller drawings.

Church Fair

The annual fair of the First Congregational Church will be held at the church tomorrow from 1 to 8 p.m. A wide variety of Christmas gifts and accessories, Thanksgiving decorations, foods, etc., will be on sale. There will be a Tupperware Tea in the Rose Room from 3 to 5 p.m. and a baked ham supper in the dining room from 5:30 to 7 p.m. A special price will be charged for children under twelve. Reservations should be made by no later than this evening with Mrs. H. D. Oldfield—tel. 182-R.



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Traffic

Noise

Dean Robert S. Hopkins reported last week that he has received a number of comments from the residents of North Pleasant Street and Lincoln Avenue concerning the noise of the traffic on the two streets.

In a statement to the Collegian, Dean Hopkins pointed out that the rush at 8 a.m., 12 noon and 5 in the afternoon "is frequently accompanied by excessive hornblowing which can be very trying to anyone within earshot."

He concluded with the request that all those who drive to work "get up early enough to make their eight o'clock on time without speeding and to take it easy on the way home. This makes for less noise, fewer jangled nerves, and a much healthier all-around atmosphere."

Frosh Hayride

A freshman hayride will be held Friday night sponsored by the newly elected class officers. The wagons will leave Butterfield at 7:00 p.m. and will return to the dorm around 9:30. A dance will then be held and refreshments served.

Students may sign up for the hayride in any of the four dorms where the freshmen live. Tickets will be \$1.60 a couple and it is hoped that many of the freshmen will attend in order to support the promotion of more activities of this kind. Many thanks should be given to the committee for their hard work which made the hayride possible.

Ball and Chain Club

The Ball and Chain Social Club, organization of married students and their wives, will hold its second dance of the semester tomorrow night.

The dance, dubbed the "Turkey Hop," will be held in the upper auditorium, Mem Hall, from 8:30 to 11:30. All members and prospective members of the club are invited.

UM graduate, class of '33.

LOST

LOST in or about the C Store—Blue Parker Pen, Tom Turner, 313 Plymouth.

Chi Omega

Iota Beta Chapter of Chi Omega announces the initiation of the following girls: Jean Gimbaloski and Audrey Rose, both of the class of '52, and Kathleen Buckley of the class of '51.

Olericulture Club

The Olericulture Club will hold its third meeting at 7 p.m. in Bedrich Lodge. The speaker will be Mr. Costos L. Karaganis, President, National Perishable Inspection Service of the Boston Terminal Market. His talk will cover what is involved in a receiving point inspection service and also the background and qualifications necessary for an inspector. Mr. Karaganis is a

UM graduate, class of '33.

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Largest UM Dance Crowd Expected For Mili Ball Tomorrow Night

Holidays Of Music Start Monday 11 Concerts to be Presented

By George Koolan

"Holidays of Music," to run from December 5-15, will have four or five of its most outstanding programs broadcast over station WACE in Chicopee. The studio, two weeks ago, failed to broadcast the entire program, but owing to a lack of equipment here at the school, this became impossible. As an alternate plan, it was tentatively arranged to air a few of the events scheduled.

The performances that were chosen were the Chorale (Dec. 5—8:00 p.m. at Old Chapel Auditorium), the Valley Orcs (Dec. 6—8:00 p.m. O. C. Aud.), the Jazz Concert (Dec. 12—8:00 p.m. Auditorium), and the "Messiah" (Dec. 14—10:00 Bowker). The "Messiah" will also be broadcast over WHAI, the Springfield station. It is expected that the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra will come under this plan, but an agreement must be made first.

Rochester Philharmonic to Star

The Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra in the history of the school, as far as the "Holidays of Music" is concerned, is the only professional program during the ten days of music.

Throughout its history, which goes back to 1922, it has had four permanent conductors: Albert Coates, Eugene Goossens, Jose Iturbi, and its present conductor, Erich Leinsdorf. Mr. Leinsdorf, after conducting many successful performances in the past fourteen years, has been hailed as one of the few capable of succeeding today's great maestros". Now, nearly thirty-seven, he is one of the youngest top-ranking conductors of the day.

The climax of the week's entertainment will be the chorus production of "Messiah". The performance will be the last two nights of the "Holidays" and will highlight the pro-

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Tentative Plan For Book Distribution Set Up by Hawley

The Collegian has been informed that a new plan for distribution of books at the College Store has not been officially declared. Mr. Hawley, manager of the bookstore, stated that "the plan we have in mind still being ironed out, and it is not yet ready for publication".

The tentative plan as proposed by Mr. Hawley is to establish a new method of distributing books to those members of the student body who obtain their books under the G.I. Bill.

The procedure to follow would be in which the professor of each class would distribute the book slips to their G.I. students who in turn would fill out the slips and return them to the teacher in charge.

These slips would be returned to the bookstore, checked, and then the books would be sent to the teachers for distribution to the members of their class. This plan would eliminate, almost entirely, next semester, the books which were evident at the College Store last September.

The Collegian hopes that more definite information will be forthcoming shortly substantiating this plan and therefore relieve many students of the thought of spending days in the bookline next semester.

Dungarees, Bumped Noses At "Dream" Rehearsal

By Red Bowker

If the scenery falls down in the middle of the show, the cast can't improve on the performance." Prof.

Arthur Niedeck wasn't being pessimistic at the "Midsummer Night's Dream" rehearsal Tuesday night; this was merely his method of letting the cast know that from then on in everyone connected with the play would function only as a team member. Time for actual performance of "The Dream" was fast approaching and cast, crew, and director alike were feeling the usual butterflies-in-the-stomach that go with every stage production, amateur or professional.

At the opposite corner of the stage Theseus (Dan Daly) and Hippolyta (Joan Carlson) perched majestically on wooden chairs atop a graduated platform. These two spoke together for a moment; then, from stage right, entered four new characters: Hermia (Dot Lipnick) wore dungarees, a turtle neck sweater, and saddle shoes. Egeus (Bert Narbis), her father, sported a white shirt with neck held loosely by a bright red tie. Hermia's lover, Lysander (Handy Pierce) and Demetrius (Charlie Plumer), were attired in army fatigues and a U of M sweat shirt respectively. (Yes, he wore pants.)

Off by a Nose

The action of the play progressed, halting only occasionally for actors to cough up lines which they had swallowed. Finally, at the end of the scene in which Oberon (Joe Rosensteim) sends Puck (Faith Fairman) off to find the magic flower, the merry prankster whirled his way off stage with Shakespeare's immortal line: "I'll put a girdle round the earth in forty minutes—Oops!"

Puck had crashed nose-first into a section of the staging.

Before we left, however, members of the stage crew hastened to assure us that the scenery was being repaired, and would be in excellent shape when the campus gets its first look at "A Midsummer Night's Dream" next Thursday night.

Unusual Tree

As we found a seat at the front

and all kidding aside, it's going to be a great show.

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Ellington And Honorary Award Top Program At Amherst Gym

by David Tavel

Tomorrow night at the Amherst College Gym the annual Military Ball will take place, and it is no military secret that Duke Ellington will supply the music. Highlight of the evening will be the naming of the Honorary Colonel, a girl to be chosen from among five finalists selected by the Cadets.

Too often, possibly, it has been reiterated that this will be the finest formal presented as a university function. Certainly, however, there is no more convenient and suitable a dancehall in this area. Just as certain is it, that Duke Ellington brings the finest band ever secured for a campus ball, to "serenade" what will be the largest gathering at a school dance.

All this and more too will make tomorrow night an evening to remember for all those attending. Ably assisted by Major Harley D. Kabrud of the Department, the R. O. T. C. Cadets have made possible a big moment in the history of the school. As with everything else, the campus social life is blossoming forth, taking its rightful place in the life of this growing university.

The chairman of the Military Ball Committees are as follows:

Chairman of the Ball: David Tavel.
Asst. Chairman: Robert Johnston,
Edwin Devine.

Faculty Adviser: Major Harley D. Kabrud, U.S.A.F.
Orchestra Chairman: Arnold Cohen.
Decorations Chairman: Norman Farrar.

Refreshments Chairman: Charles Dill.
Publicity Co-Chairmen: Donald Babbitt, James Sheva.

Program Chairman: Philip Di-
Carlo, Charles Fairburn.
Honorary Colonel Com: Jacob Brody, Charles Kidd.

Ticket Co-Chairmen: Anthony Kotula, Walter Kenney.

Transportation Chairman: Richard Howland.

Hall Chairman: Robert Grimley.

Details Chairman: Jeremiah Herlihy.

Many others delivered needed assistance, some of whom will be on duty at the dance tomorrow night.

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Plans for Carnival Being Formulated

Since early October, room 6 in the Physical Education Building has housed meetings of the 12 committee chairman engaged in promoting Winter Carnival 1950, it was announced this week by Barbara Kinghorn, general chairman of this year's carnival.

Assisted by co-chairmen Bruce Fletcher and Bob Jackson, Miss Kinghorn has held weekly committee meetings at which plans were discussed to make Winter Carnival 1950 the biggest social event of the year, and the biggest carnival in university history.

The week of Feb. 11-18 will present seven days of fun and merriment. Highlights of the carnival this year will be skiing events, snow sculpture contests, a hockey game, a basketball game, a fashion show, and a special swimming performance by the Naiaida water ballet group.

Music will be furnished by one of the nation's top bands, the name to be announced next week.

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TEAMS MUST BE IMPROVED

"If the top executives at Harvard decide they want a good football team and the alumni and undergraduates become sufficiently interested in football to co-operate, then Harvard will have better football teams." With the substitution of the words "University of Massachusetts" in place of "Harvard" the above quote from a Boston Herald editorial states the case of this school quite adequately.

Three weeks ago the UM wrapped up a dismal football season, with a record of 3 wins, 5 losses, and this brought the three-year record 1947-1949 to 9 wins, 13 losses and 2 ties. In basketball during the past three seasons, the UM record is something like 12 wins, 38 losses. We haven't looked up the totals in baseball, track or swimming, but these teams fared little better over the same period. The results in years previous are of no interest here; the past three years point the obvious fact that University teams are going downhill in a hurry and there is no immediate promise that they will start climbing back up again. They will never start that climb until some positive action is taken.

The time for that action to begin is now before we forget the past football season, before we let another year go by. Even starting right now, and with the best of success, it would be three or more years before the teams might be put back on a winning basis. We need winning teams as a matter of school pride; we need particularly, a winning football team, because that's the sport which pays the freight for the rest of the sports program.

Fielding a winning team is essentially a matter of gathering together outstanding athletes from high schools; coaching is important but hiring a coach is a simple matter compared to that of finding the players and bringing them to this school. The latter is the job which requires the co-operation mentioned in the editorial, the cooperation of the administration, the alumni, and the undergraduates. If enough interest is shown by the three groups, as it should be, we can better the athletic situation here.

There is a great deal of work to be done. But just for a start, we ask the students to consider the problem of accumulating money for the sanctioned athletic scholarship fund. Money can be raised by every house and dormitory, and other organizations on campus. A series of dances would help. That's just a small start but it's better than waiting for next year and the year after that.

U. M. WEEKLY CALENDAR

Thursday, December 1 — Thursday, December 8

Thursday, December 1	Bowker Auditorium, 6:30 REHEARSAL, Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30 CONCERT, Chorale, Chapel Auditorium, 8:00 MEETING, Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00
Tuesday, December 6	REHEARSAL, Symphony, Skinner, Room C, 7:30
Wednesday, December 7	REHEARSAL, Roister Doisters, Chapel Auditorium, 7:30 MEETING, International Relations Club, Chapel, Room C, 7:00
Thursday, December 8	MEETING, Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00 MEETING, Lutheran Club, Chapel, Seminary, 7:00 MEETING, InterVarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15
Friday, December 9	MEETING, Animal Husbandry Club, Square Dance, Drill Hall, 8:00; Phi Sigma Kappa, Open House; Tau Epsilon Phi, Open House; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Open House, Farm Girls' Dance; Sigma Phi Epsilon, "Lower Slobovia Ball"; Theta Chi, Open House; Lambda Chi Alpha, Open House; Q.T.V., Open House; Alpha Epsilon Pi, Costume Military Ball, Open; Alpha Gamma Rho, Open House; Kappa Sigma, Open House
Saturday, December 10	Rush Parties—all Sororities
Monday, December 11	REHEARSAL, Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30 MEETING, Camera Club, Chapel Auditorium, DANCE, Military Ball.

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Sunday, December 12

Rush Parties—all Sororities

Monday, December 13

REHEARSAL, Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30
PERFORMANCE, Joint Faculty Concert, Chapel Auditorium, 8:00



Collegian Profile No. 30

by Elbert Taitz

The High Price Of Education

When he returns to the University of Wisconsin this summer to continue work on his Ph.D. in Speech, Mr. Anthony Zaitz, instructor in English and Speech will probably breathe a sigh of relief and say, "It can't happen again."

For it was last summer during an eight-week course in public speaking that "Tony" pinch-hit as a fireman, carpenter, doctor, and student. It seems that since housing accommo-

But probably the incident that Mr. Zaitz will remember most is the fire that almost brought tragedy to the Zaitz household. They had rented an oil stove to cook on, and one afternoon several flaming jets of fire came out of the stove, setting fire to the canvas of the tent and igniting Mr. Zaitz's hair and dress.

Acting instantly, Mr. Zaitz seized a cover and smothered the flames of his spouse's hair and ripped her dress off—probably saving her life in the process. He then carried her out of the tent, rescued son Larry, and turned to fling the flaming stove out before it could destroy the home completely. After recovering from the episode, the Zaitzs took a quick look back at the summer's punishment and fled Wisconsin.

Professional Musician

Mr. Zaitz is a native of Chelsea, graduating in the class of '34. He received a scholarship to enter music school at Boston University but declined it. Instead he toured the country as a featured clarinetist with several well-known orchestras. About the clarinet, which he has been playing since 1910, Mr. Zaitz says:

"It was my first love."

Yours truly,
Robert Spang, '52

ED. NOTE:

A check with officials of the Operetta Guild confirms the generally overlooked fact that the Guild is entirely self-supporting. It receives no money from the student tax; its revenue is derived solely from the proceeds of the production itself.

From that money, all expenses must be paid. Among the items are scenery, costuming, expensive owing to the large casts in musical productions, and the payment of royalties for use of the play and music, charge of several hundred dollars in main cases. The Guild is certainly not fleecing anybody. The "Broadway Prices," which Mr. Spang speaks of have a top of \$1.20, which sum might possibly purchase a back row seat in the second balcony of a Broadway house.

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I would like to congratulate Russ Brode on his column about athletics at our university; it has been written with intelligence and perception.

But since a university is (or was) considered to be concerned primarily with learning, intelligent discussion, and criticism, I think that the Collegian might raise the quality and prestige of the university as well as itself by allotting space for a column of more general university interest.

The column might be written by one or a group of members of the student body and the faculty interested in arousing an enthusiastic, effective realization of the university's responsibilities through responsible, constructive criticism of matters curricular and extra-curricular.

The columnists would seek the ideas and opinions of students and faculty on various subjects; on the basis of their findings they would

make generalizations, and upon these generalizations they would base suggestions for university improvement.

Officials of the university might be interviewed, and some of their problems set before us, so that we might all know how to help overcome these problems, or at least know why we must bear with them.

The columnists would inform us of developments on and off campus, such as "general education," which has changed many colleges in the last decade. Now the administration of our university is considering initiating a plan of "general education" while many students here are ignorant of the meaning, purpose, and effects of such a plan.

We must not pre-suppose that the students and faculty are so irresponsible, and so apathetic as to make a column concerning serious matters unfeasible and unprofitable. Such a column as I have described would be a long overdue innovation which might at least help us to a "responsible Press."

Phillip Frankel

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Yours truly,
Robert Spang, '52

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This change is necessary, because at 8:30 the club will attend the Choral concert in the Old Chapel Auditorium.

Every member of the Student Wives' Club is urged to be present at this meeting, especially those with children. Plans are to be made for the children's Christmas party. December 12 and the committee must know how many children are going to attend.

There will be more information in next week's Collegian about the children's Christmas party.

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TOWN HALL

"Kiss of Death"
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VICTOR MATURE — COLEEN GRAY
— Co-Feature —
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Next week's speaker will be Mr. Earl Krantz, manager of the Morgan Horse Farm, in Middlebury, Vt.

Dairy Club

The Dairy Club met in Flint Laboratory on Wednesday, November 16, to hear Joe Donovan, of Brookline, speak on "The Practical Aspects of Milk Inspection." A short business meeting was held, and refreshments were served.

A speaker has been scheduled for the next meeting, on December 7.

Note of Sympathy

The sympathy of the Class of 1950 goes out to their classmate, Bill Reed, whose mother passed away Thursday morning, November 17.

Big Business

Mr. R. Elliott Conway, of Quincy; Mr. Stuart L. Johnson, of Sterling; Mr. Farnie L. John, of Medford; and Mr. William A. Watson, of Belmont.

Theta Chi

Theta Chi announces the initiation of the following new members on November 7th: Robert Paul '51, Charles Yergatian '51, Al Marullo '51, Francis Moriarty '51, Cyril Merritt '52, Bill Massidda '52, Orson Miller '52, Larry Rowell '52, Frank Sotile '52.

Camera Club

B. B. Steffanson, magazine photographer and president of the Hartford Camera Club will give an illustrated talk on "Winter Photography" at the Amherst Camera Club meeting in the Old Chapel, at 7:45 p.m., tomorrow, December 2. The public is welcome.

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY, NOV. 16, 1949

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Lv. Northampton (Main Street)	7:25 A.M. 7:33	12:50 P.M. 12:58
Mon. thru Fri. 2:00, 6:30, 8:30	8:58	5:58
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Sun. Cont. 1:30 - 10:30	9:14	6:14
	1:09	1:09
Lv. University of Mass. (Experimental Station)	7:45	7:49
Ar. Belchertown (Town Hall)	8:06	1:31
Ar. Ware (Town Hall)	8:26	1:51
Ar. West Brookfield (Town Hall)	8:39	2:04
Ar. Brookfield (Cross Roads Inn)	8:44	2:09
Ar. East Brookfield (Main Street)	8:50	2:15
Ar. Spencer (Town Hall)	8:56	2:21
Ar. Leicester (Center)	9:04	2:29
Ar. Worcester (B. & W. Terminal)	9:27	2:52
Ar. Worcester (Short Line Terminal)	9:32	2:57
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Sat. Mat. 2:00; Sat. Eve. 6:30, 8:30	5:35	11:40
Sun. Cont. 1:30-10:30	5:44	8:50
	10:19	11:49
Lv. Leicester (Town Hall)	10:25	11:55
Lv. Brookfield (Cross Roads Inn)	10:32	5:57
Lv. East Brookfield (Main Street)	10:37	12:02 P.M.
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Ar. Hadley (Town Hall)	11:41	10:06
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Q.T.V.

QTV is happy to announce the pledging of the following students: J. O'Leary, H. Luoto, R. Nickerson, P. Grady; H. Fellows; B. Collins; P. Hussey; J. Manning, D. Qualey; R. Nelligan; V. Roche; H. Holmes; J. Flannigan; E. Ouellet; J. Francis; R. Boynton.

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"Messiah" is Tradition

The idea of putting the "Messiah"

on around Christmas time was con-

ceived some time ago but was con-

tinued over the past few years.

This year, again presented by the Uni-

versity Chorus,

the presentation will mark the continuance of Handel's masterpiece.

Food Tech

Dr. F. Gallizio, of G. F. Heublein

and Bros., Hartford, will give a talk

on Enology, next Wednesday, 7:30

p.m., at the Food Technology Club.

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Purchase Cards ...

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Hillel

Regular Friday evening services

will be held this week at the Hillel

House at 7:30.

A novel program of

"External Light" skits on records will



PURCHASE CARDS—The first N.S.A. purchase card to be sold in Western Mass., is bought by George Corey from Beryl Stern, Area Chairman. Beginning next week purchase cards may be obtained from dormitory, fraternity, and sorority representatives, price: \$1.00. Savings up to 20% may be made on articles purchased in many stores throughout the United States.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Forestry Club

Program committee chairman, Bob Ganley, has announced that forestry movies will be shown at the club meeting tonight. Refreshments will be served.

S.D.T.

Sigma Delta Tau announces the pledging of Selma Garbowitz, Alice Leventhal, and Laura Stoskind, all of the class of 1952.

LOST

Tan, water repellent jacket with zipper. Finder, please notify G. T. Joly, Federal Circle, H-2. Reward.

Phi Sigma Kappa

Phi Sigma Kappa announces the initiation of the following men: Dr. Theodore Kozlowski, Honorary; William Tague, Joseph Mascia, Julian Martindale, of the class of '50; Charles Talcott, Kenneth Mailoux, of the class of '51; Roger Dean, Carl Ayward, and Emery Knight, of the class of '52.

Varsity "M" Club

Movies of NCAA Basketball Tournament and football flashes. All "M" and "D" men, including those who earned their "M" this fall are invited, 7:15 p.m. tonight, Dec. 1, 1949, Room 10, Phys. Ed. Building.

Appointment Books

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Mem Hall Termites Map Out Winter Operations

By Joe Kenmore

Having learned that the king of the Termite Empire would address his subjects last Monday, I trudged over to Mem Hall at 6:30 a.m. to cover the rarest of all events in the termite colony.

I had surreptitiously picked the pocket of Janitor Wally Feldman the night before as he was leaving Mem Hall, to spare myself the exertion of climbing through windows. I sneaked down the back stairs, cautiously looking for possible meeting places. As I peeked through the keyhole of one of the doors, what should I see but hundreds of ant-like termites swarming up onto the ping-pong table to take their seats.

King Isopeta, standing on the dais (formed by the net) and flanked by prominent government officials, impatiently watched his subjects assemble. It was a slow procedure. The soldiers and workers, all of whom are blind, had to be guided to their designated places. Announcements over megaphones requested that the seating take place as speedily as possible: there was not much time left before Feldman would be coming in.

Horrible Weapon

"The next fall, Feldman waged a war of annihilation. After one week of staunch resistance to disinfectant attacks, the military commanders of our nation used brilliant strategy to remove the survivors under cover of darkness to the last three bowling alleys and the wall near the ping-pong table.

Must Foil Feldman

"Chemists are now working on a substance strong enough to neutralize Feldman's disinfectants. Through the use of these discoveries, we can cause more damage. Investigation by the secret service bureau has revealed that, lacking funds, Feldman cannot finance destructive measures for long. We can increase our activity to such a point that he will be helpless."

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Agronomy Club

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Power in Peril

At exactly 7:00, King Isopeta delivered his message to the people:

"Serious conditions within the Kingdom of the Termites have impelled me to call this emergency meeting. There is need for quick action on your part to solve the problem on hand."

Now, however, our enemy has noticed the infection of the wood along the wall, so Parliament has voted that we move to another locality. Survival will be facilitated by recent advances in medicine. Dentists

have synthesized the compound 'gnawalong' which increases durability of teeth. Doctors have ready for use a drug capable of prolonging life by at least ten months."

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"A Midsummer Night's Dream" First Performance Tonight

Joann O'Rourke Named Colonel Receives Honors at Mili Ball

Comedy On For Three Night Stand Lavish Production Has 75 In Cast

Joann O'Rourke of the class of '51 became the new Honorary Colonel of the Military department at the annual Military Ball held last Friday evening at the Amherst College Gym.

Over 600 couples, dancing to the music of Duke Ellington and his orchestra, saw Miss O'Rourke win out over four rivals—Joan Hartley, Barbara Konopka, Vicki Milandri, and Judy Sanders. Colonel William N. Todd, chairman of the Military department and last year's colonel, Grace Feener, presented the new queen with her award. Besides the emblematic eagles of the Military Corps, the winner, and the finalists, too, received special gifts of Persian jewelry made by Hormots Broumand. Ellington's music was well received by the dance crowd, especially his special jazz program and a number of solo performances by the troupe.

Special features of the evening were movies taken by Pop Barrett, for candid UM and the broadcasting of parts of the ball's activities over station WMUA. Everett Kosarick took photographs for the couples at the ball. Colonel William N. Todd and Colonel John DeHorne, both of the Military Department were among the chaperons.

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BOOKLINES

Some weeks ago we asked that a new plan be set up for distributing books at the beginning of next semester. The latest report from Mr. Hawley states that no definite plan has yet been established, although a proposal is now being considered which would partially eliminate the long lines customary for the first few days of classes.

The tentative plan, if it is accepted, would provide for a trouble-free semester at least, although it would not adequately take care of future large enrollment. Distribution books to the large number of G.I. students through their respective classes will help, but to date we have no assurance that even this small step will be taken. This should not be; there is no good reason to delay the establishment of the plan.

We hope that in more weeks left in this semester, if there is any further delay we face the possibility that no action will be taken. We insist that the management of the bookstore and the faculty members reach an agreement quickly. The student senate should also take an interest to demand that a new plan be readied immediately. These long lines can be definitely eliminated no later than next February.

INSULT?

Dear Editor:
While enthusiastically thumping the tub in column and editorial for the athletic scholarship fund last week, the Collegian lost sight of the facts and made what we believe is a very erroneous implication. In citing the need for winning teams, the Collegian implied that an improvement in manpower is the most important part of the solution. In effect the University's athletes (especially the football players) were grossly insulted.

The team fielded by the U of M had a great deal of talent. It had spirit and its members were well conditioned.

A good coach can take a fair team and make a winner out of it; a poor coach cannot win even with a good team. He needs extraordinary material to have a successful season. Let us not pass off this matter of coaching so lightly. The boys who went out and worked every day this Fall deserved a better fate than your implication that they were not up to par.

Jim Powers
Sol Schwartz
Class of '51

ED. NOTE: The Collegian did not "lose sight of the facts." No doubt there are coaches to be hired who, given the same material to work with, might have improved the school's athletic record to the extent that it would show a 50-50 win-loss performance. But we are not interested in teams that win a major part or all of their games year in and year out in every sport. To attain this sort of record it is necessary to keep a steady influx of outstanding high

PICTURE PRICES

Dear Sir:
We, the undersigned, wish to enter our protest against the outrageous prices we are being charged for our senior pictures. Why is it that last year pictures that were six for \$7.00 are now three for \$11.00? Has the cost of photographic supplies risen so much since last year? Our opinion is that we are being "taken."

A check of a couple of studios, one in Northampton and one in Springfield showed prices much lower than we are paying. For instance, the stu-

dio in Springfield for \$7.00 gives you three 8x10 pictures, one of them in color. For \$11.00 we can get are three 5x7 pictures.

The present senior class has close to 1200 students, and we are willing to bet that many of the local studios will give us better pictures at much better prices.

Who is responsible for this state of affairs? Why weren't the students given a chance to choose their own photographer?...

Signed by Fifty Members of the Class of 1950.

Lost Keys

Three sets of keys found. Owners may obtain at Alumni Office, Memorial Hall. One with attached number, Mass. license plate—672-675. Another pair found in front of Stockbridge Hall. Another set of keys found at French Hall.

Beryl Stern

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Collegian Profile No. 31

by Millie Warner

Driver Objects to Critics of UM Defends UM



BRICK BATS SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Dec. 6, 1949

Dear Sir:

In a partial answer to your editorial of last week concerning the possibility of improving the standards of our athletic teams at the University, the members of Lambda Chi Alpha voted last night to donate all proceeds from their "coke" and cigarette machines to the fund for athletic scholarships. We feel that this move is in the right direction and hope that we will be joined in it by our fellow fraternity men and women as well as by those students who reside in dormitories.

This particular method of financing scholarships is not original. It has been used with tremendous success by one of our Yankee Conference rivals. The college referred to relies almost entirely on this source of revenue for attracting and aiding worthy athletes.

With the alumni showing increased interest in our inter-collegiate athletics, it is our duty as undergraduates to demonstrate that we have an equally aroused interest, and perhaps this proposal may serve that purpose.

The Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity

FAVORS IDEA

Dear Editor:
In your editorial of last week concerning the athletic scholarship fund, you mentioned that money could be raised by every house and dorm on campus. Your proposal is one of the best suggestions in a long time. It is a very practical idea since it would allow everyone to contribute.

In addition, there is no reason that such a plan be unsuccessful. Each student, no matter how poor, could give at least a quarter—many could contribute more. I doubt that any student would seriously miss the five Cokes or some such thing that the quarter might have bought, but the athletic fund would be minus approximately \$1000 if the four thousand students on campus did not have enough school spirit to give.

If a campaign for raising money were handled in the right way, it could bring substantial results. Enthusiastic people, interested wholeheartedly in the fund and having enough time to devote to the work, could be put at the head of each dorm or house. Posters everywhere could be used to keep students constantly aware of the campaign. Appeals could be broadcast over WMUA tomorrow night is its latest effort.

The writers' reference to "passing off the coaching situation lightly" implies an analysis of the past football season, which we did not attempt to give. Such a post-mortem at best would have been inexpert and would have contributed to the particular purpose of the editorial as it was stated above.

We are cognizant of the work done in the football squad this fall, and we have shown full appreciation of its efforts in several editorials, in feature columns and in the accounts of the games.

Note: Russ Broudo asks that the above comment also be accepted as an answer from his column.

BULLETIN BOARD

Dear Sir:
"S'about time somebody did something about the bulletin board in North College!"

It is creating frustrated students like me. Yesterday I was looking for a ride to Ketchikan, Alaska, and it took me over an hour to read all those scraps of paper. I was knocked down and stomped on several times before being pinned to the wall by the swinging door. And no ride!

My suggestion is this: that 3 x 5 inch filing cards be placed on the stationery counter in the U Store for the use of student advertisers, pro-

grammers, etc. That the bulletin board be divided into sections such as Rides, For Sale, Club Meetings, etc.

That the notices be dated and a Bulletin Board Committee be appointed by the Senate to remove them after a period of two weeks (The board would also remove any notices not conforming to the regulations of size and correct placement.)

This may be against the economic laissez-faire-ists who resist "government regulation." But wouldn't it be an all-around better system than the present free enterprise way of posting notices?

Dick Andrews, '51

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Washington, Dec. 2. The Truman administration announced today that financial aid from the Federal Housing Administration would be withheld for any new houses where occupancy was restricted because of race, creed or color. Washington reporters believe this means that Truman will press for more action on his Civil Rights program when Congress convenes in January.

Washington, Nov. 29. Atomic energy was in the news again today as the Atomic Energy Commission and the Department of Defense issued a joint statement to the effect that this country would conduct further tests of atomic weapons on the Eniwetok Atoll in the Caroline Islands. The utmost secrecy will be maintained concerning the times of the tests, it was reported.

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POSTERS

The Editor:

Members of the Purchase Card Committee made excellent posters for their publicity campaign. Several of our best posters have been removed from campus bulletin boards.

If there were time limits on posters, I can see why they would be taken away. But I think it's a shame when people remove posters for no reason at all.

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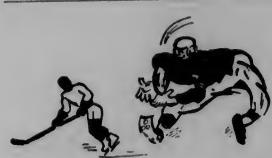
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SPORTS



UM Hoop Squad Loses Norskey; Star Signs Yankee Contract

Alex Norskey, slated to start with the varsity five in a guard spot, put a crimp in Red Ball's plans for the season when he signed up last Thursday with the New York Yankees. Norskey, third high scorer last year and only 14 points behind the runner-up Ed McCauley, is considered by many to be the top player on the varsity both offensively and defensively.

Rumors last year had Alex signing with the Yanks at that time, but a check proved the story wrong after it had been widely circulated unofficially. He will not leave school to practice with the Yanks this spring, and it is assumed that he will work out in this area. He has another year of college to complete.

Alex led the U of M Varsity nine last year in hitting when he averaged approximately .345 for the season. He played summer ball in the Northern League with the Keene, N.H. outfit, and batted a shade under .300, a good portion of his hits for extra bases.

Normally a first baseman, it is expected that the club to which he is assigned will transfer him to the outfield. Norskey was first spotted when scouts were attracted to his .500 batting average while he played for Gardner High School.

In pre-season basketball practice, Norskey demonstrated additional speed over last year, making him the fastest man on the club, and a good favorite for top scoring honors. His sign-up eliminates him not only from basketball, but from all collegiate sports as well.

It was not revealed at what price Norskey signed, but it is believed that the figure was around the \$2,000 mark. Terms of the contract were likewise not released.

Last year Norskey participated in 18 of the varsity's games—the entire schedule, chalking up 134 points. A total of 54 field goals and 26 of 49 foul shots made up this figure. He was one of the top considerations when this year's Captain was chosen, giving way in the final count to Ray Gagnon.

Norskey plans to stay in shape this winter, by playing basketball with the "Collegians," who are slated to open their season this Friday night against the Amherst Legion on the local high school court.

27 Football Players Win 'M' for Season

Twenty-seven members of the 1949 University of Massachusetts football squad have been awarded letters for their work on the gridiron this past fall. The list of letter winners was released this week by the Joint Committee on Intercollegiate Athletics, which makes the awards.

Eleven seniors, headed by the retiring co-captains, Robert Pasini of Springfield and Edmund Struzzieri of Stoughton, thirteen juniors, including Martin Anderson of Palmer, and 3 sophomores received the man-of-'M's.

CLASS OF 1950: Robert Bulcock, Arnold Estelle, Solomon Feinberg, Harold Feinman, Evan Johnston, John McManus, William Looney, Joseph Natale, Mark Rogers, Donald Sisson, John Klaiber.

CLASS OF 1951: Martin Anderson, Alvin Bazar, Raymond Beaupre, Russell Beaumont, Cyril Desautels, Gerald Doherty, Francis Driscoll, John Estelle, Raymond Gagnon, Richard Gleason, John Nichols, Philip Roth, and Robert Warren.

CLASS OF 1952: John Benoit, Louis Pyne and Herbert Speak.

Swimming was held during the

UM HOOPSTERS



Lettermen Pick Anderson To Captain 1951 Gridmen

Martin Anderson, leading ground gainer for the UM Redmen during the 1950 football season, was chosen to captain the 1951 squad at a meeting of lettermen held last week.

Marty was the regular wingback in Tommy Eck's single wing attack this past season and was also the leading ball carrier, ground gainer and pass receiver. A former Palmer High athlete, "Andy" is twenty-three years old and is married. He was named by the University of Vermont as half-back on their all-opponent team.

His record in ball carrying was a mark of 5.9 yards per try, taking the ball 56 times for a net gain of 333 yards. Above average speed and good left handed passing ability add to his value to the team. In addition his defensive prowess made him one of the few Redmen who was used on defense as well as offense.

In baseball, his only other sport, Marty was the leading mound performer for last spring's diamond squad.

Wins, 5 Losses For Cross Country

The four seniors who ran their last cross-country meet in the ICAAA in New York on November 21 were members of the University of Massachusetts Varsity Cross Country squad: Whitley Cossar, Lou Clough, Ed Funkhouser, and E. Pierce.

These four men are veteran runners, having won four letters each since their first year in 1946, as well as medals and gold shoes. It was mainly through the efforts of the seniors that the U of M enjoyed four consecutive successful seasons in cross-country.

Under the wartime eligibility rules in 1946, these four runners as freshmen were permitted to participate in the varsity squad, which ended its season with four wins and one loss.

In 1947 the cross-country team really made record-breaking history by winning all of their six meets with a perfect score, and ending with the lowest total score in U of M. cross-country history. This also set another record for the University by placing second in the New England Championships which were held each year at Franklin Park Boston.

In 1948 the squad won five out of six meets, losing by a one-point margin to Northeastern. The Derby again placed second in the New England.

Weather permitting, the rink on campus will soon be flooded and the squad will then be able to start formal drills in preparation for their first contest against New Hampshire Saturday.

New Ice Mentor Named 30 Candidates Report

Warren P. McGuirk, director of athletics recently announced the appointment of a part-time hockey coach for the coming year. Walter D. Fitzgerald, a resident of Jamaica Plain, was named to the post starting Jan. 1.

Mr. Fitzgerald, a former defensive star on the National AAU Championship Hockey Team in 1942, was a member of the Boston College varsity hockey squad from 1941 to 1943. He was also a member of the Brooklyn Crescents Team which had membership in the Eastern Amateur Hockey League in 1943 and 1944.

Approximately 30 candidates answered Coach Fitzgerald's initial call last Friday night. An imposing list of veterans answered the call headed by co-captains Mark Rogers and Tom Toohey. For the time being, the squad will concentrate on limbering up exercises which will be held in the cage.

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STOCKBRIDGE NOTES

Future Breeders Return From Chicago Show

This year for the first time, S.S.A. boys attended the Chicago Livestock Show. Here the group

saw some of the finest animals on four feet in various classes of swine, sheep, and horses. As one student expressed it, they saw the animals in the textbook, in person.

The boys had a chance to visit with famous breeders and get helpful ideas for future reference. They also visited the famous Hawthorne Melody Farm and Allied Feed Research Farm. A conducted tour of the Swift and Co. plant proved very interesting, as did a trip to the Chicago Arts and Sciences Museum and the Field Museum.

Stewart Johnson took movies of the trip, which will probably be shown at some future meeting of the An. Hus. Club.

As a matter of purely academic interest, the boys report that Chicago boasts quite a few night clubs.

The trip proved extremely valuable experience, and it is hoped that more excursions of the sort may be made possible.

Shorthorn Notice

The Shorthorn Board wishes to correct an error in the announcement made in last week's Collegian: the assistant editor of the book is Red Worsman.

Come on out and join the fun!

Index Pictures

The Index photographer will be in the Index office Thursday, December 8, and 9 to photograph all seniors whose pictures have not yet been taken.

No proofs can be returned until December 16 but must be returned that day. This is your last chance.



COLLEGIAN SPORTS

Broude...

Continued from page 4

We have a long way to go before this school can offer any great number of scholarships to deserving students and athletes. We're far behind many a school we compete against, and it will take some fast moving to catch up on this score. That is why at this time I repeat last week's comment on scholarships as a class gift.

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Make a date to go swimming this week!

S. C. A.

"The Son of Man" is the topic chosen by the Reverend Chalmers Coe for his vesper message when he will be the SCA's guest speaker next Wednesday at 5 p.m. in Memorial Hall Auditorium.

The talk to be given by Mr. Coe will be a sequel to the one given by him last Wednesday on "The Son of God."

The Reverend Coe, a graduate of Yale University and Yale Divinity School, has for the past year and a half been pastor of the First Congregational Church in Amherst.

The SCA sponsors student-led Vesper Services each week under the leadership of Emry Wheeler. Every-

one interested is invited.

Naturally congrats are in order to Alex Norskey, although his loss to the varsity quintet at this time we can ill-afford. It's bound to upset the plans of "Red" Ball. But, if the faith always had in Hal Ostman has been right, he'll be quite at home in Norskey's vacated sneakers. He may not be spectacular, but then again, he's never had the chance to do so. Good luck to both of them.

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'Carmen Miranda' To Star at Sig Ep

Vivacious "Carmen Miranda" will be the featured entertainer at Sig Ep "Gauchito Party" to be held this Saturday night from 5 p.m. till midnight.

Her performance will be enhanced by several novelty acts, the "Gauchito Orchestra", and special instructions for those wishing to learn South American dances as the Samba and the Rhumba.

A South American supper complete with hot tortillas and cold tamales will begin the party at 5:30. Over 200 guests will be served.

The house will be completely decorated with South American scenes and colorful murals depicting South American life. Latin American rhythms will be provided for dancing by the Gauchito Orchestra and by the

Chorus.

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From 5:00 to 9:00 p.m. the party will be an invitation dance, after which time it will be opened to the public.

Swimming...

Continued from page 4 session, but was halted because of sanitary conditions. It will be necessary to follow the rules set up by the Phys Ed Dept. These rules state, "that only suits provided by the Dept. may be used". Showers must be taken before, and after swimming in the pool. Girls must wear bathing caps, and cannot wear

team colors.

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These and others represented in the albums are but a small part of the tremendous musical output coming from the heart of a people building and recreating a new land.

In the University of Massachusetts chapter of the Intercollegiate Zion Federation of America presented two albums of Hebrew records to the University of Massachusetts Music Library, last Friday.

In making the presentation for IZFA, Cultural chairman Harry Star said, "It is hoped that, in some small way, these records will contribute to the students' wider knowledge and understanding of the Hebrew culture which is now undergoing a renaissance.

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Christmas Pageant To Be Presented By French Club

On Wednesday of next week the Old Chapel Auditorium will be transformed into a Christmas setting when a pageant depicting the Nativity scene will be presented.

The pageant, in French, will be put on under the planning and direction of the French Club.

Presented for the first time five years ago, it has been a regular event before Christmas vacation each year since then.

The simplicity of the whole pageant shows its connection to drama of the Middle Ages.

The sole speaking part will be that of the "pasteur," who will read the Christmas story from the French Bible. A graduate student from France will do this reading.

Music plays a large part in the pageant, and a choir of about 20 "angels" will sing several French Christmas carols.

Miss Blanche Barachman of the Amherst High School faculty will sing two solos, one of them being "Cantique de Noël." Miss Barachman has done solo work in local churches.

A Christmas pageant such as this is often given in France. One year a guest of Dr. Godding, the director of the College Cavarol, after seeing the presentation, told the group that his students had just put on a similar one before his departure.

The cast of about 40 students includes a choir, the Virgin Mary, Joseph, shepherds, angels, and the Three Kings.

The pageant is not limited to French students or to those who speak the language, as its meaning and effect are created as much by the mood and atmosphere of the tableau as by the actual words spoken.

Alec Caron is director. Louise Cushing will handle costumes, and Yvette Monnet will take charge of the choir. John Abidian and Barbara Flaherty are stage managers, and Tony Dugas is in charge of publicity.

U.M. Students Gagnon and Cook Attend U.S. Affairs Conference at West Point

Robert George Cook and Paul A. Gagnon of the University of Mass. were two of 125 students from 52 colleges and universities in the country who were chosen to participate in a four day Student Conference on United States Military Academy held at West Point beginning November 30.

These students had an opportunity to listen to experts speakers in the fields of economics, politics, national security and foreign affairs and thus had an opportunity to air their own opinions and conclusions in round table discussions.

The speakers for the initial session were Paul Hoffman, ECA Administrator; Grayson Kirk, Provost of Columbia University and expert on international politics; and Lt. Col. Walter B. Smith, former ambassador to Russia. A summary of the conference was given in the final session by Dean Rusk, Deputy Under-Secretary of State.

This conference, which is a new experiment in student activities, was sponsored by the Military Academy in order to give the students an opportunity to take part in an orderly informative analysis of the basic contemporary problems facing the United States and also to broaden the student's contacts with men and women from other institutions of learning. The actual methods used in the conference paralleled those used successfully on a faculty level by the Brookings Institute.

The participants were seniors, especially well-qualified juniors including fifteen cadets from the Military Academy who had been selected by their schools because of their interest and ability in the fields which were discussed.

Kappa Sig Reviews 80 Eventful Years

Quite often among the students of a college, there is the feeling that the Fraternities and Sororities exist for the benefit of only a few persons, the members, and that the non-members are in no way affected by their presence. We know that this situation does not exist on campus at the University of Massachusetts, and I'm sure that everyone not only wants to prevent the possibility of such a situation, but further, would like to strengthen the relations between the two groups.

Therefore, the COLLEGIAN will present a series of articles on the histories of the Fraternities and Sororities on campus. These will not only reveal the enlightening and interesting historical facts but will also give the personal highlights of the social, athletic, and academic achievement. Thus, we hope to acquaint every student with the group as the members themselves know them, our Fraternity or Sorority.

by Lloyd E. Shuey

Horses and buggies were creating Sigma, it would be expected that the deeply indebted to all of these men, history would contain many events socially, in athletics and scholastically. The Chapter has not failed to provide us with such events! The open house parties of Kappa Sigma are well known to every student on campus who has taken opportunity to see Kappa Sigma's hospitality in action.

The Fraternity holds many dances and parties throughout the year such as the Embassy Ball Weekend, the Harvest Brawl, Brightside Party, and the Annual Clam Bake. Anything can happen at one of these affairs and it usually does, but it's all in fun. Like the time when some of the fellows connected a loudspeaker under the bar in the basement to a microphone in the ladies room. "Most revealing", commented one of the bar attendants.

Shining Trophies Brighten Library
The shining trophies in the library are evidence enough to show that Kappa Sigma has never lacked for members skilled in athletics and tops scholastically. The trophies represent for the most part, prizes awarded in the Interfraternity Leadership Football, softball, and basketball games. Skits, Fraternity Sings, and Snow Sculptures are all part of the building and will add another point of interest on the campus. The members and alumni are striving at this time to raise the money needed for this project and their serious and concentrated attitude assures them of reaching their goal in the not too far future.

Bright Future Expected
We've just about covered the eight years of Kappa Sigma's existence and if the past history is any indication at all of the future, Gamma Delta Chapter of Kappa Sigma is definitely beautifying the grounds around the building and will add another point of interest on the campus. The members and alumni are striving at this time to raise the money needed for this project and their serious and concentrated attitude assures them of reaching their goal in the not too far future.

Less Talk Needed
We can only make proper evaluations from the highest directives and to talk sense at all, systemic language is essential. Our society rewards the fast-talkers, he continued, the people who are never at a loss for words. "People should be at a loss for words—and often!" he added. Quoting from Edmund Taylor's "Strategy of Terror" he concluded by warning that the real enemy of mankind is the delusion inside the heads of mankind—the sheer delusions of normal people that are not known to be delusions.

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Let's look behind the walls of Kappa Sigma for a glance at the people who are responsible for such a fine fraternity. The men who have contributed more than anyone else, devoting their time, effort, and money generously are: Dr. Kenneth L. Bulis, Mr. Lanphear, Mr. Hazen, Mr. Glafelter, Mr. Russell, and the late Dr. Frank Waugh. Their interest has led them to aid the Fraternity immeasurably and Kappa Sigma is

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SCA to Hold Xmas Vespers, Mem Hall
The annual Student Christian Association Christmas Vesper Service will be held next Sunday from 7-8 p.m. in Memorial Hall Auditorium.

Featured at the service will be carols by the Brass Choir under the leadership of Ezra Schubas, solo from Handel's "Messiah" by Joan Walewski and James Chapman, and Christmas hymns by the SCA Choir. The Choir will be led by four student directors from Dorie Alivian's conducting class.

The Reverend Arnold Kenseth will lead the service. The traditional Christmas story taken from Matthew and Luke will be read by Shirley Hathaway and Walter Foster.

An offering will be taken up for the WSSF.

At the close of the Christmas program, everyone who would like to join in the festive spirit of Christmas is invited to go along with the SCAers to sing carols around Amherst.

Author Addresses Capacity Crowd At Old Chapel

"Any victory over individual delusion is a victory over group delusion," Dr. S. I. Hayakawa, seminarian and author of the best-seller "Language in Action", told a capacity audience in Old Chapel auditorium last Wednesday.

Speaking on the topic "Science and Language in Society", Dr. Hayakawa scored the wide-spread skepticism in our society, stating that it is "crucial to survival to distinguish sense from non-sense".

"Civilization depends upon communication faithfully made," he said, adding that "sincerity is the criterion of meaningfulness".

Waugh Memorial Planned

As one enters the living room, a portrait above the fireplace stands out from the natural wood paneling. This is the portrait of the late Frank Waugh who particularly aided in the establishing of the Kappa Sigma Fraternity house as it stands today. Mrs. Waugh in her will, left a \$500 endowment for Kappa Sigma. The Fraternity will use this fund as a nucleus in starting a drive for the purpose of erecting a Waugh Memorial at Gamma Delta.

The planes have been drawn for such a memorial and also for the surrounding landscape for the grounds of Kappa Sigma. This memorial will certainly beautify the grounds around the building and will add another point of interest on the campus. The members and alumni are striving at this time to raise the money needed for this project and their serious and concentrated attitude assures them of reaching their goal in the not too far future.

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16 Colleges Send Representatives To I.R.C Regional Conference at U. of N.H.

Over two hundred delegates from sixteen colleges attended the recent Regional Conference of the International Relations Clubs sponsored by the Carnegie Foundation. The conference was held this year on December 2nd and 3rd at the University of New Hampshire in Durham.

The International Relations Club of the university sent six delegates: Bill Bennett and Charles Staniunas, both of '50; Edgar Buck, Bob Hansen, and Bill Savard, all of '51, and Bob Mitchell, of '52. Expenses of the delegates were almost wholly paid by the U. M.

The theme of the conference was "The Far East in Transition": a topic linked with American foreign policy. Mr. Weyer, a retired engineer, was the speaker at the opening session Friday afternoon.

Feb. Grads

Do you want a February Graduation? Will all those involved please send return postcards. Deadline is Monday, Dec. 12. Make your vote count!

ALEX NORSKY, BILL LOON-JY, BILL DUNN, BILL RYBACK, PETE ANGERS, BILL CRIMMIN, JOE MORIARTY, JERRY SCANLON, BILLY MCANN, PAT BRUNI

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Topics from the Tower

By Barb Curran

WAMF, the Amherst College Radio Station for their invaluable assistance.

Other Schools Visit

WMUA and the other valley college stations have, in the past, carried on extensive inter-station relations. In the last few weeks, the campus radio station has had several visits from staff members of other New England college stations. This past week members of the radio station staff at Dartmouth College visited the Tower Studio. This Friday, part of the staff of the Norwich University station are planning to visit the U of M campus. Dave Melzer, Production Manager, and Wayne Langill, Station Manager, visited the Yale radio station in New Haven, Conn. last Thursday.

On Wednesday listeners may hear Louis Monney, accordianist on 8:15 and Phi Sig on the Inter-fraternity program at 8:00... .

Thursday broadcasts will include: 7:20 Betty Krieger with "Women's Sports"; 8:30 Bud Whittaker's "Holidays" Broadcast

WMUA is co-operating with the Music Department under Dorie Aliviani on the annual music festival, December 5-15, by broadcasting "Holidays" every night during the festival time from 8:00-9:00...

On Monday, Dec. 5, double quartets from the four valley colleges gave a varied musical program. These double quartets included the Amherst College DQ, the Mount Holyoke V-8, the Smith College Smiffens and the U of M Statesmen...

Wednesday, Dec. 7, the faculty presented a joint faculty concert to celebrate the festival...

Next Monday, the University Dance Band will give a musical concert on the music hour from Bowker.

Tuesday, the Chowder and Marching Society, a singing organization, will go over the air from O C Auditorium...

These hour programs will be drawn

through Thursday from 3:00 to 11:00 and Friday from 3:00 to 12:00. After the Christmas recess it is hoped that the radio station will also come over the air waves on Saturday and Sunday.

Dream...

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commissons Puck to drop a love potion into the fairy queen's eyes, causing her to fall in love with the first person she sees upon waking. This person turns out to be a simple weaver who has been transformed into an ass by the mischievous Puck.

Another love mixup is created when Puck drops the potion into the eyes of Demetrius and Lysander, causing them both to fall in love with Helena. But, needless to say, the complications are eventually ironed out, and everyone, including the audience, is happy.

Music used as background for the play was composed by Felix Mendelssohn and is identical to that used in professional productions of the play.

Williamsburg listeners may hear Louis Monney, accordianist on 8:15 and Phi Sig on the Inter-fraternity program at 8:00...

Afternoon broadcasting has been instituted as a permanent policy on Monday through Friday. The radio station is now on the air Monday

through Saturday at 9:30. This dramatic presentation will alternate between Amherst College and the U of M weekly.

For the best in listening pleasure, tune to your campus radio station, WMUA, the Pioneer Broadcasting System.

AMHERST		SCREEN SCHEDULE
ENDS	TONIGHT	Mon. thru Fri. 2:00, 6:30, 8:30 Sat. Cont. 2:00 - 10:30 Sun. Cont. 1:30 - 10:30
THURSDAY	DEC. 8	Hilarious Comedy! 'Miss Grant Takes Richmond' Starring LUCILLE BALL — WILLIAM HOLDEN
FRIDAY	SATURDAY	'BEYOND THE FOREST' with BETTE DAVIS — JOSEPH COTTEN
SUNDAY	MONDAY	Based on J. Galworth's 'The Forsyte Saga' 'That Forsyte Woman' with ERROL FLYNN — GREER GARSON — WALTER PIDGEON
TOWN HALL		SCREEN SCHEDULE
FRIDAY	SATURDAY	Fri. Mat. Eve. 6:30, 8:30 Sat. Mat. 2:00, Sat. Eve. 6:30, 8:30 Sun. Cont. 1:30-10:30
DEC. 9-10		'The Lodger' with MERLE OBERON — GEORGE SAUNDERS — and — 'Hangover Square'
SUNDAY	MONDAY	Peggy Ann Gardner — Lon McCallister — Co-Feature 'Thunder in the Valley'
DEC. 11-12		'Man About the House'

J. Paul Sheedy* Switched to Wildroot Cream-Oil Because He Flunked The Finger-Nail Test



TOUD' never goes to see him now, but just two weeks ago there was a sad, forlorn look in Sheedy's bendy eyes. People picked on him because his hair looked like he was moulting. Not a gal on campus would even carry a conversation with him. Then he bought a bottle of Wildroot Cream-Oil hair tonic and he's been a gay old bird ever since. Non-alcohol Wildroot containing Lanolin keeps hair neat and well-groomed all day long. Relieves annoying dryness, removes the ugly dandruff that can make you a social outcast. So if your hair is giving you trouble, set your corps for the nearest drug or toilet goods counter and get a bottle or tube of Wildroot Cream-Oil hair tonic. And ask your barber for professional applications. It's the best treatment your hair cadaver gets.

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Inhumanities of Dean's Saturday Exposed by Collegian Reporter

By Jim Powers

A bleak winter wind wails across the campus. The eerie silence is broken by an occasional pistol shot, or the sound of a body falling to earth as from a great distance. Mingled with the voice of the wind a lost soul cries out from some abysmal purgatory.

Dean's Saturday is close at hand. Muffled figures scurry on their way, unmindful of the supplicating hands stretched forth from the depths of despondency. Pleas for mercy fall on carefully muffled ears.

Trepidation of immorality fills the hearts of the chosen as they crush and strain, like those story-book residents of Hamlin, to learn their fate. And then, tears of helpless terror frozen on their stricken faces, head in hands, they stumble away.

Dean's Saturday is upon us. Now, except for peals of Machiavellian laughter issuing from the Music . . .

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program's success. From the brilliant "Hallelujah Amen" by Handel to the precision singing of Gershwin's "I Got Rhythm" the program was excellent. Dick Rescia accompanied most of the songs and Miss Jocelyn Dugas entertained with piano solos during intermission.

Otel Program
The second program was presented Tuesday evening and featured the "Valley Octets." The Statesmen, after doing their three numbers, introduced each group with short pieces from their school songs. The Mt. Holyoke and Smith girls were invited to dinner, before the program, by two fraternities.

The joint faculty concert on Wednesday was highlighted by faculty members from Mt. Holyoke, Smith and the University of Massachusetts. The most noticeable feature of the program was the fact that not one selection played was a trite or over-worked piece.

Judging from these past programs, the remainder of the "Holidays" should be well worth attending.

Remainder of "Holiday of Music" program:

This morning: Student Concert, OC, 11:00 a.m.
Dec. 9: Broadcast, WMUA, 8 p.m.
Dec. 10: Choral Concert, on Campus
Dec. 11: Orchestral Concert, Cage, 2:30 p.m.
Dec. 12: Jazz Concert, Bowker, 8 p.m.
Dec. 13: Choral Concert, OC, 8 p.m.
Dec. 14, 15: Handel Messiah, Bowker, 8 p.m.

Lost
A brown and white calfskin pocketbook. The night of the Mili Ball. Probably at the Amherst gym. Return to E. Bartlett, 323 Mills.

Index Announcement
Any student who has been notified to pick up his 1949 Index must do so before Christmas vacation.

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WEEKLY CALENDAR

December 8 — December 15

Thursday, December 8
PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15
MEETING. Newman Club, Chapel Auditorium, 7:15
MEETING. Student Christian Association, Skinner, Room 217, 7:30
MEETING. International Relations Club, Chapel, Room C, 7:00
MEETING. Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00
VESPERS. Christmas Vespers, Memorial Hall, 7:00
OPEN HOUSE. Kappa Alpha Theta, Open House for Hamlin House Monday, December 12
CONCERT. Jazz Concert, University Dance Band, Bowker Auditorium, 8:00
MEETING. Stockbridge School Student Council, Memorial Hall, Room 3, 7:00
MEETING. Naiads. Physical Education Building Pool, 7:15
MEETING. Fencing Club, Chapel, Room C, 7:30
PARTY. Home Economics Students, Skinner Reception Room, 7:00
REHEARSAL. Symphony, Skinner Hall, Room 119, 7:30
Friday, December 9
PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15
TUESDAY, December 13
CONCERT. Chowder and Marching Society, Chapel Auditorium, 8:00
REHEARSAL. Folies Bergere, Chapel Auditorium, 7:30
MEETING. Fencing Club, Chapel Seminar, 7:00
MEETING. Mathematics Club, Skinner, Room 4, 7:15
MEETING. Index Staff, Chapel, Room C, 6:45
BRIDGE. Student Wives, Chapel, Room A, 8:00
MEETING. Society of Intercollegiate Noetics, Chapel, Room D, 7:30
Saturday, December 10
PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15
DANCE. Greenough Cafe Crew Christmas Party, Butterfield, 8:00
PHYSICAL EDUCATION. Foundation Square Dance, Bowditch Lodge, 8:00
Sunday, December 11
PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15
DANCE. Outing Club Square Dance, Drill Hall, 8:00; Varsity "M" Club Dance, Memorial Hall, 8:00; Wesley Foundation Square Dance, Bowditch Lodge, 8:00
REHEARSAL. Symphony, Skinner Hall, Room 119, 7:30

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MILITARY BALL PICTURES

Persons who had their pictures taken at the Military Ball may pick them up next Wednesday from 3:15 to 5:15 p.m. in Memorial Hall lounge.

Tumbling Club

On next Tuesday night at 7:00, there will be meeting in the Drill Hall gym of anyone interested in joining a tumbling club. Everyone is welcome.

Saturday, December 10

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PHYSICAL EDUCATION. Foundation Square Dance, Bowditch Lodge, 8:00

MEETING. German Club, Chapel Seminar, 7:30

Wednesday, December 11

PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

CONCERT. Handel's Messiah, Bowker Auditorium, 8:00

MEETING. Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00

REHEARSAL. Folies Bergere, Chapel Auditorium, 6:30

MEETING. Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

MEETING. Business Administration Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15

MEETING. InterVarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15

MEETING. Student Branch, Amer. Socy. Agricultural Engineering, Engineering Annex, 7:00

MEETING. Home Economics Staff, Skinner Reception Room, 7:00

REHEARSAL. Symphony, Skinner Hall, Room 119, 7:30

Thursday, December 12

PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

CONCERT. Chowder and Marching Society, Chapel Auditorium, 8:00

REHEARSAL. Folies Bergere, Chapel Auditorium, 7:30

MEETING. Mathematics Club, Skinner, Room 4, 7:15

MEETING. Index Staff, Chapel, Room C, 6:45

MEETING. Business Administration Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15

MEETING. InterVarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15

MEETING. German Club, Chapel Seminar, 7:30

Friday, December 13

PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

CONCERT. Handel's Messiah, Bowker Auditorium, 8:00

MEETING. Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00

REHEARSAL. Folies Bergere, Chapel Auditorium, 6:30

MEETING. Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

MEETING. Business Administration Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15

MEETING. InterVarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15

MEETING. German Club, Chapel Seminar, 7:30

Saturday, December 14

PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

CONCERT. Handel's Messiah, Bowker Auditorium, 8:00

MEETING. Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00

REHEARSAL. Folies Bergere, Chapel Auditorium, 6:30

MEETING. Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

MEETING. Business Administration Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15

MEETING. InterVarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15

MEETING. German Club, Chapel Seminar, 7:30

Wednesday, December 15

PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

CONCERT. Handel's Messiah, Bowker Auditorium, 8:00

MEETING. Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00

REHEARSAL. Folies Bergere, Chapel Auditorium, 6:30

MEETING. Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

MEETING. Business Administration Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15

MEETING. InterVarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15

MEETING. German Club, Chapel Seminar, 7:30

Thursday, December 16

PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

CONCERT. Handel's Messiah, Bowker Auditorium, 8:00

MEETING. Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00

REHEARSAL. Folies Bergere, Chapel Auditorium, 6:30

MEETING. Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

MEETING. Business Administration Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15

MEETING. InterVarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15

MEETING. German Club, Chapel Seminar, 7:30

Friday, December 17

PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

CONCERT. Handel's Messiah, Bowker Auditorium, 8:00

MEETING. Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00

REHEARSAL. Folies Bergere, Chapel Auditorium, 6:30

MEETING. Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

MEETING. Business Administration Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15

MEETING. InterVarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15

MEETING. German Club, Chapel Seminar, 7:30

Saturday, December 18

PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

CONCERT. Handel's Messiah, Bowker Auditorium, 8:00

MEETING. Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00

REHEARSAL. Folies Bergere, Chapel Auditorium, 6:30

MEETING. Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

MEETING. Business Administration Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15

MEETING. InterVarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15

MEETING. German Club, Chapel Seminar, 7:30

Wednesday, December 19

PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

CONCERT. Handel's Messiah, Bowker Auditorium, 8:00

MEETING. Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00

REHEARSAL. Folies Bergere, Chapel Auditorium, 6:30

MEETING. Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

MEETING. Business Administration Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15

MEETING. InterVarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15

MEETING. German Club, Chapel Seminar, 7:30

Thursday, December 20

PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

CONCERT. Handel's Messiah, Bowker Auditorium, 8:00

MEETING. Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00

REHEARSAL. Folies Bergere, Chapel Auditorium, 6:30

MEETING. Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

MEETING. Business Administration Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15

MEETING. InterVarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15

MEETING. German Club, Chapel Seminar, 7:30

Friday, December 21

PERFORMANCE. Midsummer Night's Dream, Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

CONCERT. Handel's Messiah, Bowker Auditorium, 8:00

MEETING. Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00

REHEARSAL. Folies Bergere, Chapel Auditorium, 6:30

MEETING. Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

MEETING. Business Administration Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15

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PRAT FEATURE

Dear Editor:

It seems to me incredibly bad taste

and complete lack of good judgment,

for the Collegian to be so thoughtless

as to print a three-column feature on

one fraternity in the middle of rush-

ing.

Although the story in itself was

well done and decidedly humorous in

its misconceptions, it seems strange

that it could not have been saved for

another week. I think that a review

of the Greek houses on campus would

be very interesting, and a step at

least toward injecting a particle of

campus life into the campus news-

paper. However, according to Mc-

Dougall, one of the main considera-

tions of newsworthy material is timeli-

ness, and frankly, during rushin

was hardly the time.

Gin Lecees

Ed. Note: We'll have to accept Mr.

Lecees's accusations of "bad taste"

and a "complete lack of good judg-

ment" merely as a careless use of

language. We don't believe the parti-

cular story evidenced either of these

two failings. Nor does it seem likely

that the story had any influence on

the results of frat rushing.

INFIRMARY

Dear Editor:

I should like to propel one giant

size brickbat in the direction of the

group of "U.M.-ites" who so em-

phatically insisted that the campus

infirmary be thorough, item 5; that staff service be extended to include

house and dormitory visits, 6; that sick call hours be suitably revised, 7;

and that the specified training for the nurses be carried through as requested

in Item 8.

The senate has made a good start toward gaining a more efficient in-

firmary service for the university. We urge it to follow this preliminary

work with continual questions to discover what action is effected after the

report is given to the administration.

"COKE" CONTRIBUTIONS

We'd like to express our appreciation of the spirit shown by Lambdas and Plymouth House in contributing the profits from their vending machines to the fund for athletic scholarships. These contributions should amount to upwards of \$200 per year. The establishment of the fund will be assured if the rest of the campus dorms and houses showed the same willingness to part with a contribution which none of them will miss greatly. Who's next?

CHRISTMAS FATALITIES

We have before us a compilation of statistics on motor vehicle fatalities and accidents which should be of interest to you as you head home for the holidays. A few significant quotes should provide the reason why you should keep these few lines in mind. "Drivers between 18 and 24 years of age were involved in 30 per cent of all fatal accidents last year." "Many of the accidents involving persons under 25 occur at Christmas time, when their use of cars is at a peak." "The pedestrian death toll is highest in December. Always a much higher percentage than for the first 11 months of the year." "On Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, deaths from motor vehicle accidents are two to three times the annual daily average." With a lot of brains and a little luck you can reverse the odds which are against you, the person riding with you, and the pedestrian.

COOPERATION OR NO?
From the Interfraternity Council
Dear Sir:

We of the Interfraternity Council have been led to believe that the Administration wished to cooperate with the Student Body whenever possible, but of late two incidents have tended to repudiate this cooperative theme. We believe that these incidents, both concerning Drill Hall, and matron must be paid out of Interfraternity Council funds.

The first incident occurred during the Campus Chest Drive. When the Campus Chest booster dance was held, the janitor and the matron which the Administration requires to be present had to be paid out of the Campus Chest funds—that is, the money which you students contributed had to be used to pay for the use of the Hall. It seems that the Administration could have taken care of the detail as its contribution to the Campus Chest Drive.

Phil Roth
Secretary—Interfraternity Council

Collegian Profile No. 32

by Gerry Maynard

Pop Barrett—Man with the Camera

His trademarks are a camera, a tripod, and a cap. His name is Rollin Hayes Barrett, professor of Farm Management at the U of M.

Professor Barrett, or "Pop" as he is more commonly called by both the student body and faculty, is probably better known on campus for his movie-taking activities than for his teaching of farm management. He is present at all the football games with his movie camera—and many of the other activities, athletic or otherwise, come within the focus of his lens in

ternity and for the Shorthorn, Stockbridge yearbook.

But his first love is photography, a field in which he has achieved international recognition. In the early 30's his pictures were shown in Germany, France and Denmark.

Conn Grad

Born in Vermont and raised in Connecticut, Prof. Barrett did his undergraduate work at the University of Connecticut. He took his masters at Cornell and finished with a year at Harvard.

During the first World War, "Pop" served as a second lieutenant in the infantry. His wife, Marion, is a graduate nurse and former assistant superintendent of a small hospital in Connecticut. His daughter, Dorothy, is a pre-med graduate of the U of M. She received her M.B. from the University of Michigan and is now interning at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Cincinnati.

Professor Barrett has a high regard for the standards of work at the University, but he regrets the passing of the small college atmosphere that existed when he first came here over twenty years ago.

"Although the library was in old chaper and the enrollment much smaller than the present figure, there was a much more friendly atmosphere," he remarks.

Prof. Barrett's hobbies, when he has time for them, include fishing in Canada and the taking of kodachrome slides.

He also likes to collect quotations and keeps a little black book for jotting down those that impress him.

One of these mottos he keeps on his desk before him. It reads as follows: "The difficult we do now, the impossible takes a little longer."

Film Director

At present Prof. Barrett is filming "Candid UM", a full length color movie of the various phases of student life at the U of M. The picture is due to appear by December 1950.

Besides being official movie photographer for the University, this distinguished looking, white-haired professor has been on the University faculty for twenty years. During this time he has served in various capacities.

He is chairman of both the visual education and conventions committee at the U of M, and he was a member of the Student Life committee for twenty years. He is also faculty adviser for the ATG Stockbridge franchise.

Fashion Candidates Notice

Candidates for the Winter Carnival Fashion Festival (all those who received cards of acceptance from the previous tryouts, and those wishing to try out for the first time) are asked to come to Mem Hall Auditorium tonight at 7 p.m.

Gratefully,

Pete Drevinsky

COLLEGIAN ERRORS

Dear Editor:

I should like to propel one giant size brickbat in the direction of the group of "U.M.-ites" who so emphatically insisted that the campus infirmary be thorough, item 5; that staff service be extended to include

house and dormitory visits, 6; that sick call hours be suitably revised, 7;

and that the specified training for the nurses be carried through as requested

in Item 8.

The senate has made a good start toward gaining a more efficient in-

firmary service for the university. We urge it to follow this preliminary

work with continual questions to discover what action is effected after the

report is given to the administration.

INDEX PICTURE PRICES

To the Class of 1950:

In last week's edition of the Collegian, fifty disgruntled and un-informed seniors protested about the "outrageous prices" being charged for senior pictures. For their enlightenment, I would like to inform them that the prices for this year's pictures have not changed from last year. Following is the price list for senior pictures for both this year and last year.

Contact Prints

4x6 \$12.00 \$15.00
12 portraits \$10.00 \$12.00 \$15.00
6 portraits \$8.00 \$10.00 \$12.00
3 portraits \$8.00 \$10.00

Projection Prints

5x7 6x8

12 portraits \$20.00 \$25.00

6 portraits \$15.00 \$18.00

3 portraits \$11.00 \$12.00

Sincerely yours,

Albert C. Governor

Bob Merrick

Editor

COLLEGIAN

Today—Tomorrow

Thursday, December 15, 1949

MEETING, IZFA Officers Meeting

Hillel House, 6:00

MEETING, Student Christian Association

Skinner Hall Auditorium, 7:00

PERFORMANCE, Handel's "Messiah," Bowker Auditorium, 8:00, 8:30

MEETING, Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00

REHEARSAL, Folies Bergere, Chapel, Auditorium, 6:30

MEETING, Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

MEETING, Business Administration Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15

MEETING, Inter-Varsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15

MEETING, German Club, Chapel, Seminar Room, 7:30

Friday, December 16, 1949

Pledge Chapel for Freshmen, Chapel Auditorium, 6:30

DANCES, Phi Sigma Kappa, Christ

Alpha Gamma Delta, Invitations; Alpha Gamma Rho, Chi Omega, Delta, Invitations; Sigma Chi, Alpha Epsilon, Invitations; Theta Chi, Invitations; Beta Sigma, Informal Christmas Party; Kappa Sigma, Informal Christmas Party; Ball and Chain Invitations; Dance Memorial Hall.

LOST

Lost: Two textbooks—1. Economics

Analysis by Boulding, Chap. 1-12

2. Retailing by Duncan Phillips.

If found please return to Robert Bean, Berkshires.

DEAN'S NOTICE

To Dormitories and Fraternities:

University traffic regulations are

very specific in their prohibition

of the use of automobiles to carry

students between classes on the

campus.

As a final note, I would like to add

that no individual student is required

to buy any portraits from the par-

ticular studio involved.

It is necessary however, that the stu-

dents sit for their portrait from this

studio to insure uniform proofs for

the book.

The Editor of the Index

THE MASSACHUSETTS COLLEGIAN, DECEMBER 15, 1949

THOMAS F. WALSH
College Outfitter

— THE HOUSE OF WALSH —

Offers you its entire stock of beautiful imports in Leather, Wool, and Cashmere—for you selections of Christmas Gifts—There are gifts for your Roommate, Father, Mother, Sister and the Brat that Thatcher or Lewis. Best of all you may use your account.

Santa Party Fete



SPORTS



Redmen Knockoff N U 39-30, In Season Opener, Prevey Stars

Soph Ace Leads Last Period Spurt to Sink Huskies

by John Oliver

A fighting Redman basketball team put on a thrilling last half surge to defeat a tall Northeastern club 39 to 30 in the opening game of the season last Saturday night at the Cage.

Bill Prevey put on a one man show with eight minutes to go, racking up nine consecutive points, the margin of victory. The Redmen went into the second half with the score knotted at 19 all. The lead jockeyed back and forth, with Northeastern tying the score at 24-24 with twelve minutes to go.

McCauley sunk a foul shot (this fifth in a row) and a basket from under the hoop to give the Ballmen a three point advantage. Neri of Northeastern followed with a basket from in close to bring the score to 27-26. Ray Gagnon on a neat pivot brought the score to 29-27 at the eighth minute mark.

Traynor of the Huskies sank a foul shot to put the Boston team two points off the pace. It was then that Mr. Prevey took over. He sunk one basket from the bucket, was robbed of a two-pointer set up by Gagnon, but made the ensuing foul shot to give the U. M. a 32-27 lead.

Northeastern started using desperate long passes, trying to get back in the ball game, but their passing attack went wild over the forward's outstretched arms, or into the arms of an alert Massachusetts defense. Prevey continued his streak with another bucket shot and a neat follow up shot to give the home team a 36-27 advantage. He finished his streak with a fine corner shot to bring the lead 38-27 with about three minutes to play.

Rodenhizer, the tall Northeastern center, scored a spectacular basket from under the hoop, but the Redmen continued to control the ball quite handily and kept the Huskies pretty well in check in the waning minutes.

The entire team played heads up ball all night, often out fighting and out jumping their taller opponents. In the first half, the whole team worked as a unit with no scoring standouts. Gagnon sunk the first U. M. basket of the season, and McCarley had three fouls and a basket. Johnston played his usual good all around floor game, in addition to sinking two long shots. Hal Ostman played good defensive ball, but had tough luck with his shots. Several of them bounced around the hoop before dropping off the side, and when Hal finally did come through the referee took it away from him, claiming he shot after he had been fouled. Ostman hurt his ankle at the eight minute to play mark, on a nice block play that the referee thought was a foul.

The turning point of the game was about the ten minute to play mark when the U. M. team started to control both backboards. From that point on the visitors were able to score only one basket from the floor and two foul shots.

It is amazing to note that, considering how hard the team fought, no member of the team had more than three personal fouls called on him except Hal Ostman with four, who had to leave the game with an injury.

The new ruling of taking the ball out of bounds in the final two minutes after a foul shot takes the edge off of the final minutes. It worked pretty well when the Redmen were ahead Saturday, but it should provide some anxious moments when they are behind in the final minutes of a close game.

Next on the schedule for the Redmen, is the Worcester Tech team



Ray Gunn, (glasses) scrambles with Northeastern's Sheldon for possession of a loose ball in the UM-Huskies game. Hal Ostman (12) and Hal Misakian (20) move up a little too late to help. Photo by Tague

Little Indians Ready For Busy Floor Season

by Russ Broude

Coach Earl Lorden's Freshman quintet can look forward to a busy winter season this year as they are scheduled to trot up against 12 other yearling squads. With one game already under their belts, a 38-35 win over the Northeastern Huskies, the Little Indians travel to Worcester on Dec. 17 to battle Technicians' frosh in the curtain raiser. In the feature tilt the U.M. Varsity five will tangle with the Worcester varsity, after the Worcester game the "Lordenmen" play three games at home, Clark, Trinity and UConn, the Schedule:

Dec. 10 Northeastern
Dec. 14 Stockbridge
Dec. 17 Worcester Tech
Jan. 4 Clark
Jan. 9 Trinity
Jan. 11 Connecticut
Jan. 18 Wesleyan
Feb. 8 Coast Guard
Feb. 11 Springfield
Feb. 15 Williams
Feb. 18 Amherst
Feb. 23 Tufts

The Engineers put on a strong show Saturday night when they swamped Norwich 68-45. The next home game is January 4, 1950 when the Ballmen meet Clark University of Worcester. Clark, who defeated the Redmen 45-35 last year, held a strong Boston university team to a one point victory, losing 48-47.

Last year Northeastern won the opener and continued on to a 12 and 6 record for the season, while the U. M. won 6 and 12. May the reversal be complete this season!

Bill Prevey leads the scorers with 14 points. Followed by McCauley with nine and Gagnon with eight.

THE BOXSCORE

Mass.	b f t	Northeastern	b f t
Prevey, rf	6 2 14	Diehl, rf	2 1 5
McCauley, lf	2 5 9	Gosselin, lf	0 0 0
Gagnon, c	3 2 8	Jackson, c	2 2 6
Johnston, rg	2 0 6	Johnston, rg	1 1 2
Ostman, rg	0 0 0	Landini, lg	1 2 3
Erhardson, rf	0 0 0	Traynor, rg	2 2 1
Goldman, rg	0 0 0	Neri, lf	2 2 6
Gunn, rg	0 0 0	Sheldon, rg	1 0 2
Goldman, rg	0 0 0	Rosenhizer, rg	1 1 3
Misakian, rg	0 2 2		
Barrett, rg	0 0 0		
Total	14 11 39	Total	10 10 30

Foul shots missed, Prevey 2, McCauley 2, Gagnon 2, Johnston, Ostman, Goldma, Gunn, Misakian. Northeastern Jackson 3, Neri 2, Traynor 2, Landini, Rodenhizer, Diehl.

Elimination Plan To Be Used In Intramural Hoop Leagues

UM Mermen Dunked By Bowdoin, 53 - 22

Bowdoin won all but two firsts last Saturday afternoon as they dunked the Redmen, 53-22, in a swimming meet held in Curtis pool at Brunswick, Me.

Mitch Jacquie provided the Rogersmen with a first place in the 220, but bowed to Bill Ingraham in the 440. Doug Hill, the Polar Bear's New England intercollegiate sprint champion, won the 50 and 100 for Bowdoin. Jacquie was outstanding for the outmanned Massachusetts squad.

THE SUMMARY

150-yard medley relay—Won by Bowdoin (Ingraham, Jr., McGrath, Wishart). Time: 3:10.7.

220-yard freestyle—Won by Jacquie, Mass.

2. Mitchel, Bowdoin; 3. Zettler, Bowdoin. Time: 2:22.4.

50-yard butterfly—Won by D. Hill, Bowdoin; 2. Ingraham, Bowdoin; 3. MacNeil, Mass. Time: 24.4.

Divine—Won by Vanderbeck, Bowdoin; 2. Martin, Mass.; 3. Oehrle, Bowdoin. Winnings: \$5.00.

100-yard freestyle—Won by D. Hill, Bowdoin; 2. Ingraham, Bowdoin; 3. MacNeil, Mass. Time: 33.8.

50-yard backstroke—Won by Brodie, Bowdoin; 2. Strange, Bowdoin; 3. Lampi, Mass. Time: 1:00.8.

200-yard breaststroke—Won by Colwell, Bowdoin; 2. Van Vaast, Bowdoin; 3. Dana Hashian, Mass. Time: 2:35.8.

440-yard freestyle—Won by Ingraham, Jr., Bowdoin; 2. Jacquie, Mass.; 3. McGrath, Bowdoin. Time: 5:11.5.

Carni Poster Prize Winners Revealed

Helen Mitchell, Edna Cohen, and Paul Pincus won first, second, and third prize respectively in the Winter Carnival Poster Contest, reported June Simons, Contest Chairman.

The winning posters were those of 18 that were submitted by students for judging last Saturday night in Memorial Hall.

Under the double elimination set

up a team losing two games is eliminated. That is, a club losing more than one game is eliminated from further consideration. It is possible to play as few as two games, and as many as five.

The referees are all well known athletes on campus, and include Bob Pasini, Bob Bullock, Bill Looney and Ev Johnston.

Many a "sleeper" has been uncovered in this type of ball in years gone by and it is not improbable that the same thing could happen this year. In addition to providing good exercise for the players involved, the

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Preceding the match, John Hall, coach of '51, was elected to succeed John Ring as captain of the Redmen riflery.

The squad will travel to the Military Academy at West Point Jan. 7 for their second shoulder-to-shoulder match of the season. With the match with the Crusaders any indication, this meet should be close, and the U.M. shooters well could come out on top again.

Hockey Slate Changed To Play Amherst Here

Revisions in the 12 game slate of the U.M. hockey team were announced today. Norwich, originally scheduled for Jan. 9, has been dropped and replaced by Amherst College. The site of the final game of the year has been changed from Norwich to the outdoor rink here at the U.M.

The revised schedule:

Jan. 7 New Hampshire Away

Jan. 10 Northeastern Home

Jan. 16 Amherst Home

Jan. 21 Northeastern Home

Feb. 7 Middlebury Home

Feb. 8 New Hampshire Away

Feb. 11 Williams Away

Feb. 13 A.I.C. Home

Feb. 15 Middlebury Away

Feb. 18 Williams Home

Feb. 23 A.I.C. Away

Feb. 25 Norwich Home

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Shiftless Skunks Raise Big Stink, Organize Putrid Odor of Smelleroo

By Lola
New Aroma Scented On Campus

There I was down on all fours searching for a trace of a leaf scar among the lower branches of a bush when suddenly someone began to kick me, gently but persistently. Turning around as I arose, I found myself facing a person evidently doing his very best to insult me. He stood there, with his thumb and fore-finger holding tightly to his nose and grinning like someone advertising Life-boy!

"Don't get sore," he yelled as my eyes ground out sparks and I thought furiously of some derogatory thing to say. He continued, "I thought you were a Stinker," and then calmly walked away. I stood there stunned for awhile, then rushed to the dorm took a shower (just to be safe) and vowed I'd find out what this "Stinker" thing was all about.

On The Scent

It didn't take me long to get wind of the fact that a new club called "The Deodorized Order of the Skunk" had spread to our campus. Despite the fear that the investigation might backfire, I began to survey the students for information about "Stinkeroof." In the course of a few days I met all kinds of skinkers; Lone Stinkers, Big Stinkers, Little Stinkers, and even a dignified Aroma Stinker. Of course, I also found some just plain stinkers in evidence on campus.

Some Students and Professors Eligible To Be Honorary Members

This is a club, I was told, that is the only organization of its kind, unique in its symbolism and universal in its appeal." The club was started at Plaistow, N. H., and has spread to 42 states in one year. It is a club started for the practice of Friendship and Loyalty through good-fellowship." Anyone is eligible to join if he is a normal individual with a "scents" of humor and is either a man, woman, boy or girl. Some students and professors are in that line and may be honorary members!

Survey Gets Many Distinctive Remarks

During the survey, I received some remarks from Stinkers and non-Stinkers which made me realize that this club is really "Sensational." "Professors think my name Stinker is swell." "The other students used to avoid me before, now I've found many new friends." I don't know what this Stinker thing is but it sounds like something the campus cops ought to join." Comment from a

IIZFA Chapter Host To 92 Delegates

Ninety-two delegates from 19 New England colleges and universities participated in the New England Region of the Inter-collegiate Zionist Federation Seminar held at the University of Massachusetts December 9-11.

Two recent arrivals in America from Israel sparked the three-day convention. David Rohn, a graduate and instructor at Hebrew University Teachers College led discussions on The Bible as a Source of Our Values, and The Expression of Values in Our Cultural Life. Miss Ayalla Kaufman, presented the latest Israel Songs and Folk Dances to the delegates.

Lionel Kestenberg, National Educational Vice President of IIZFA, also led one of the many stimulating discussions and Myron Weiner, National Vice President was in charge of the organizational and technique workshops.

The social witnessed the presentation of four spontaneous skits by the attending chapters followed by dancing and refreshments. The seminar committee responsible for its success consisted of Dave Oliensis, New England Region Field Worker, and Mrs. Clara Pelli, President of the New England Region, Organizational Committee. Seminar Chairman was Mel Ashburner, Irv Gross and Arnold Jacobs, Larry Litwick, Housing, Harry Star, Social, Joe Warshawsky, Food and Elbert Taitz, Publicity.

A "Pancho and Gorda" duet followed featuring Bud Whittaker and Scotty MacDonald singing, self-accompanied by guitars. Al Taylor succeeded them in a thoroughly entertaining parody on Peter Lorre.

The floor was ended with the appearance of Senator Georgia Southern (from the "Old Howard") played by Everett Smith and "Carmen Mir-

Fencing Club Open to Both Men and Women Plans Informal Schedule Next Semester

By Lola
nearby Lone Stinker, "Oh yeah! Well don't forget, this club is deodorized!" One man from Devens stated, "I'm over forty and I enjoy being a 'Little Ole' Stinker."

Stinker Honors Are Great Incentive

The group here on campus is trying to form an official local club. Then they can elect among other officers, their own Grand Stinker (President), Vice Grand Stinker (Vice-President), Mouffette Hilarie (Fun Skunk), Odiferous Stinker (Conductor) and Rhythmic Skunk (Pianist). They are also eager to start having meetings and to have a formal order of business which is opened with a song called "Hail Stinkers," a title awarded for getting ten new members, and "Deputy Imperial Stinker," appointed for organizing three or more Aromas.

Stinkers To Be

Rush week will be announced soon, but it is no secret that the stinkers will try to pledge Marylou Beauregard Lee, and Sidney the canine right away. So remember students, don't go around being just a plain stinker, be a "Stinker of distinction" and hold your nose with the best of them!

Mlle Board Elects Hammel, Rapoza

Faye Hammel and Jeanne Rapoza have been appointed from the University of Massachusetts to Mademoiselle's 1949-1950 College Board. They are among 850 appointments from colleges and universities all over the country.

Almost 4000 students competed this year to join the College Board nationally, Mademoiselle reveals.

The appointees will report campus news, in addition to completing three magazine assignments during the college year. The assignments will include a critique of the 1949 August College issue, a personal autobiography, and a project for one of Mademoiselle's feature departments.

A Horrible Mistake

During the survey, I received some remarks from Stinkers and non-Stinkers which made me realize that this club is really "Sensational." "Professors think my name Stinker is swell." "The other students used to avoid me before, now I've found many new friends." I don't know what this Stinker thing is but it sounds like something the campus cops ought to join." Comment from a

student who is a member of the club.

Stinkers To Be

This was a catastrophe. There I was merely looking for a ride to Mike's with one of the basketball players and now classical music was looming in the third row I missed it.

Jascha Goes Mad

This recollection seemed to un-

hinge his delicately balanced mind and he ranted on. "And there was the time I played the three fly specks on my score. The poor maestro did a swan dive into the grand piano. And Jascha, poor Jascha, he went mad that night trying to finish the concert, and only fifty-three keys working."

With this he went mumbbling off to simonize his cymbals.

I clucked with sympathy as this victim of classicism disappeared around the harp case. Still determined to leave I again started toward the door. This time, the second violins cornered me. They had a game of crap going on a well worn armchair. I allowed myself to get sucked in, figuring to make a tidy haul at the expense of the small time Fritz Kreislers.

I got the dice and made one pass-

I made my point again. I let the dough ride. I rolled again, my point came up and then some house man played a note like an inebriated gooney bird on his fiddle, and the dice flopped over and a big old crap showed. Mildly suspicious I passed the bones and concentrated on side-bets.

At the end of twenty minutes it was clean, I suspected foul play, but was not able to prove anything.

Thoroughly disgusted with things cultural, I strode off, my hands crammed into my ravished pockets.

I saw crowds of enthusiastic music-lovers thronging to expose themselves to the foibles of the symphony gang. As the first strains of music echoed in the murky depths of the cage, I lit a cigarette, and, inscrutable to the end, I calmly turned to face the cold grey dawn.

Index Proofs and Portraits
All senior proofs and portraits must be returned today, Thursday, Dec. 15, between 11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Harvard studio representatives will also distribute ordered portraits at that time in the Index Office.

Although this group has been active for two years on campus, very few people are aware of its existence. The thirty signed members of the club have been holding informal fencing practice in the Stockbridge Team Room of the Physical Education Building since the fall of 1948.

At the present time, the group is engaged in conducting a drive to

enlarge its membership and to gain wider campus recognition with the end of becoming a regular varsity sport in the near future. During the second semester it is planned to schedule several informal matches with college and independent teams in the area.

Many members of the club have their own fencing equipment, and there is over \$200 worth of masks, foils, sabers, and Epees left over from the fencing team at Devens. In addition, members who wish to purchase their own equipment may take advantage of a 40% discount being offered to the club.

Officers of the club are Ernie Mardelle, president; J. Harvey Atkinson, vice-president; Lewis Weinstein, treasurer; Phil Powers, manager; E. Buck, master-at-arms; and Bill Conroy, saber instructor.

Another activity now being attemped by the group is the formation of a women's fencing club on campus. Already several meetings of this group have been held, and steps are being taken to have fencing made a regular part of the physical education program for women. Officers of the women's group are Carolyn Bell, president; Barbara Summers, secretary; and Nancy Gilley, treasurer. Instruction is provided by members of the men's fencing group, and meetings are held on Thursday nights at 7:30 in Old Chapel, Room B. Mrs. Totman of the Women's Phys. Ed. department plans to include a fencing class in the program for next semester if enough girls show interest and if an hour can be found which is convenient for the girls and the student instructors.

After vacation, the fencing club plan to present a movie on the Art of Fencing featuring instruction by former world champion Julio Castillo.

This movie will be open to the public and those interested in fencing are invited to attend.

Not many persons stop to ask why man sheds his shroud of cynicism and worldliness at this time.

Understanding, however, would necessitate the keynote; understanding of this one's limitations, that one's preoccupation is better able to understand the next man.

The next man, in turn, would accept accordingly, treating his fellow as equals.

Habit it may be to some; hypocrisy others, it is certain. But whatever the case may be, one thing is sure:

It doesn't last long enough.

At the risk of sounding trite, I wonder what sort of a world this one



Reporter's Thoughts About Christmas Ask for Year-Round Holiday Spirit

By Jim Powers

Not that I advocate nudist colonies, by any means. Quite to the contrary.

Just as it is true that many words are better left unsaid, so is it true that many shapes are better left unseen.

A veritable legion of people earn their living under the banner "What nature's forgotten, we stuff with cotton". And should the male animal venture to jeer, it might therupon be mentioned in passing that many a shoulder broad and trim is but the result of a tailor's whim.

Well then, wherein lies the rub? The sad fact is that people have become clothes conscious. Consider

Pedigree...

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Shechan, J., Stronach, E., Toner, Helen Viera, J., Wallstein, J., Waltermire,

Chi Omega

D. Allen, J. Baginski, L. Belvin, R. Brebaut, S. Brown, F. Dole, N. Downing, M. Drapau, A. Gibbons, N. Gilley, J. Grosser, V. Guettler, H. Houle, N. Howes, S. Klaus, V. Litz, M. Marachi, A. Merrigan, N. Regis, R. Sharkey, P. Smith, J. Stack, P. Sullivan, C. Terry, M. Torres.

Chi O transfers—M. Akey, J. Bartlett, P. Hall, P. Lenart, C. Randolph, Kappa Alpha Theta

C. Anderson, J. Anderson, B. Ashe, L. Augusta, J. Balicki, M. Chasse, S. Cande, B. Dean, J. Harvey, J. Hawkin, K. Hollis, Jones, F. Kely, E. Kinnear, J. Mangum, M. Meth, J. Myrick, B. Newman, N. Phillips, B. Sanford, J. Schmetz, P. Seneca, White, P. Tuttle, M. Vanderpool, A. Urbanek, J. Cormack, '52.

Pi Beta Phi

N. Adams, J. Allen, S. Anderson, V. Booth, J. Buck, W. Card, B. Clifford, D. Curran, J. Dugay, D. Dunbar, M. Eagan, M. Flannery, D. Halverson, A. Jagiello, A. Lundgren, N. Meader, J. Niklas, P. Ordway, S. Piper, B. Pratt, M. Scott, M. Small, B. Urbanek, J. Cormack, '52.

Sigma Delta Tau

T. Cohen, J. Cross, J. Chapman, G. Goodfellow, G. Felgenhauer, D. Leitner, R. Michaelson, A. Miller, N. Nelligan, B. Collins, P. Hussey, J. Manning, D. Qualey, T. Toohey.

On last Saturday, QTV promoted two very successful parties. The first affair, taking place in the afternoon, was a party presented for the Brightside and Mount Saint Vincent Orphans Home children. A dinner was held for the children which was followed by games. Later in the afternoon, Santa ("Tiny" Chickalakas) Claus, gave presents to the children. In the evening, a successful Mistletoe Party concluded the day's events.

Q.T.V.

QTV announces that the following students have become members of its fraternity: P. Grady, R. Nickerson, R. Nelligan, B. Collins, P. Hussey, J. Manning, D. Qualey, T. Toohey.

In taking this action Plymouth became the second campus house to subscribe to this plan for accumulating a fund which will be used aid deserving athletes.

Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity was the first in a letter to the College.

When the Christmas tree has been set out in the rubbish and the Christmas presents put to use, try to salvage a little bit of the Christmas spirit for future use. It's worth saving.

The Thetas said they enjoyed the affair as much as their guests, and as soon as they get back enough of their furniture they plan to have another informal get-together with the boys from Commonwealth.

Campus Chest

Continued from page 1

This year's contributions will be divided among five groups, as previously decided by the committee. The largest beneficiary will be the World Student Service Fund, which will receive an estimated \$850.00.

The remaining funds will be divided among the Heart Fund, Cancer Fund, Polio Drive, and the establishment of a fund on campus to aid foreign students studying here. Exact figures and final allocation to these projects will be determined at the next meeting of the Committee on Tuesday, January 3.

UM Men Have No Regard For Style Clothing Needs Only to be "Raunchy"

by Jim Powers

the newly rich young movie actor professional athlete, who fills his closets with every conceivable variety of wearing apparel, whose shorts bear gold-embossed monograms, whose shirts are numbered in the dozens, whose shoes would stock a store. And the feminine counterparts are equally guilty.

A Mad Mad Mania

You say that these are merely extremists? True enough, yet they are indicative of a trend, an absurd mania which has burdened society.

To him a coat is but protection from the cold; a hat keeps his ears dry when it rains; boots keep the mud from between his toes. A necktie hides the beer stains on his shirt; a handkerchief wipes the lipstick from his face (albeit not too efficiently); a belt prevents his pants from falling down.

He has even coined a new word—"raunchy". Raunchy means, with embellishments, to be attired up to and within the bounds of morality without regard to the dictates of society, being determined only by the factors of comfort, convenience, and carelessness.

The implications of my discovery were endless. The dam had burst!

The peasants had revolted! The pendulum had passed its zenith and the hand of fate raised the pen of destiny over the pages of history. Delicately the hand moved; indelibly the pen wrote; incredibly the words appeared:

THERE ARE NO MALE FASHIONS ON CAMPUS!

Immortality is Ours!

Could this be true? Is history to record our fair campus as the birthplace of such an epic revolution? Breathlessly, I corralled my fellow reporters; the words tumbled from my lips; my unerring logic thrashed them into submission. It was true! I was right! And I am so happy!

For weeks now I have been afraid that our University's sole claim to immortality would be the fact that the girl's dormitories are the only ones in the United States equipped with footbaths.

KAT Throws Party For Hamlin House

Kappa Alpha Theta hosted a large number of Devens Transients last Sunday to cement relations between the sorority and the residents of Hamlin, the campus' newest dorm, which was opened two weeks ago.

Quantities of coffee and crackers disappeared under the onslaught of the appetites from across the road.

Several of the men reached for comment stating that they thought the Thetas very considerate and hoped that other campus sorority houses would follow Theta's fine example and throw open their doors to members of other housing areas on occasion.

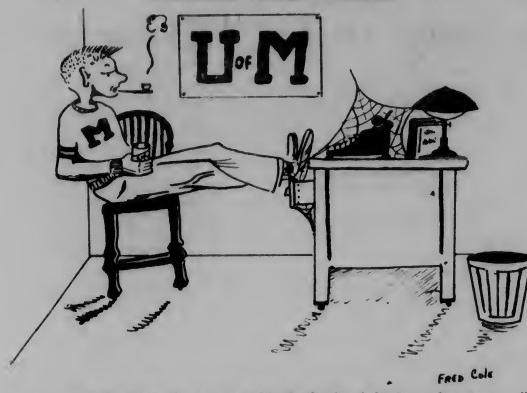
The Thetas said they enjoyed the affair as much as their guests, and as soon as they get back enough of their furniture they plan to have another informal get-together with the boys from Commonwealth.

SOME DATES WON'T WAIT!

Neither will that

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Audience of 500 Cheers Jazz Band

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Washington, Dec. 5—Harry Hopkins was accused today of ordering shipments of uranium, data on the atomic bomb, and other strategic information to be sent to Soviet Russia in 1943 and 1944. His accuser, George R. Jordan, a former Air Force Major, claimed that he made the discovery by opening suitcases sent to the Russians near a depot where he was stationed. Henry Wallace, who was also implicated, denied all charges.

Oak Ridge, Tenn., Dec. 6—The Atomic Energy Commission has asked the Federal government for help in ending a wildcat strike. Over 2000 construction workers on Atomic Energy projects left their jobs yesterday.

Washington, Dec. 7—The late Harry Hopkins and Henry Wallace were cleared today of charges of sending valuable atomic secrets and materials to Russia. Lieutenant General Groves, who headed the project which developed the atomic bomb, claimed that their accuser, former Army Air Force Major George R. Jordan, had made false assertions concerning them.

Hong Kong, Dec. 8—China's Nationalist Government moved its capital for the fourth time today. This

Ball and Chain
The Ball and Chain Club will hold a semi-formal Christmas Dance tomorrow night from 8:30 to 11:30 in Memorial Hall Auditorium.

Music by Felix will be featured.

Refreshments will be served.

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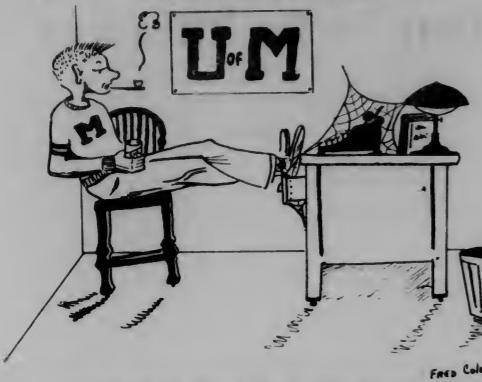
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LET IT SNOW, LET IT SNOW—Graz under her skis doesn't seem to mind pretty U.S. gold Alice O'Donnell as she waits for the weather to provide some of the long-awaited white stuff for Winter Carnival which will take place February 11 to 18. The wave of warm weather which doused New England with rain during the Christmas vacation dampened the hopes of ski enthusiasts all over this section of the country.

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—Photo by Kosarick

Enoch Light, Ray Eberle "Ham and Cheesecake", 50 Years of Show Business to be Staged by Levine and Leccese

Due to a sudden extended engagement, Johnny Long will not be available for the Winter Carnival Ball on February 17, it was announced this week by Co-chairmen Fran Lueier and Bob Jackson.

In an effort to afford students as high a caliber of musical entertainment, the committee has engaged two of the country's better-known dance bands; the Ray Eberle Quintet, and Enoch Light and his orchestra.

Ray Eberle, former Glenn Miller vocalist and recording artist, is a comparative new-comer to the dance-band field.

Enoch Light's career began while he was still an undergraduate at Johns Hopkins. He has appeared at the country's leading colleges and hotels, and received an invitation to the world-famous Mozart Festival in Salzburg, Austria, where he appeared as guest conductor. He has played command performances before the King of England and the President of France. His engagements have included a two-year run at the Hotel Taft in New York City.

The Enoch Light outfit features a slow rhythmic tempo so popular and

Committee Studies Building Budget

A total of \$3,144,000 will be spent on a building program at the University of Massachusetts in the next three years if Gov. Dever's recommendations are approved by the Legislative Ways and Means Committee. It was learned last Monday when the Governor laid a \$104,748,000 State Building Program before the committee—without comment.

Projects planned for the fiscal year 1951 at the University are: \$50,000 for replacement of Durfee Conservatory; \$20,000 for replacement of a skylight, Phys. Ed. Building; \$10,000

Eleanor Zamarachi, University sophomore whose remarks on racial discrimination by campus frats and sororities caused such a furore in the Boston press during the holidays, reiterated for a Collegian reporter her denial that she had made any charge that U of M frats and sororities were guilty of discrimination against Negroes and Jews.

The much-publicized incident arose out of remarks made by Miss Zamarachi on Haverhill's WHAV Listener's Forum in a discussion on "What I Think of A College Education."

"It was one of the seven students on the program," she said. "The question of discrimination was brought up by the moderator and my answer was based on thought alone. I had no intention or desire to bring up charges against the Uni-



CAMPUS VARIETIES—Co-directors Laura Levine and Gin Leccese chuckle over the script for the 1950 Campus Varieties coming next semester. Details of this year's show are not yet available, but Mr. Leccese states that anyone with talent will be welcome to try out for a part. —Photo by Tague

Coed Explains Discrimination Furore; Statements From Pan Hel and IFC

versity or to imply that there was a discriminatory spirit within the student body."

Miss Barbara Kington, President of the Panhellenic Council, when questioned about the incident stated, "I know of no action or unwritten rule among the sororities encouraging discrimination. If such a rule were in force, at least two sororities have broken it in the last three years. Discriminatory clauses will be found only in one constitution. People believe that even when there are no such clauses, there is still discrimination. There may be—but that discrimination is, I'm sure, by individuals themselves and not by groups."

Hal Feinman, President of the Inter-Fraternity Council said that as of last year's investigation all frats on campus have decided that they are against discrimination and are trying to remove any such clauses from constitutions that contain them. Members of campus frats have attended national conventions to suggest that such clauses be removed. Nearly everyone attending a National Inter-Frat convention last winter seemed to be in favor of eliminating these clauses.

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Winter Quarterly Needs Contributors

The *Quarterly* is now accepting contributions for its winter issue to appear early in the second semester, Faye Hammel, editor of the magazine, said this week.

Miss Hammel emphasized the fact that the *Quarterly* is looking for interesting articles from all parts of the campus, and not strictly from any one department or group of people. Poems, short stories, book reviews, and any article pertinent to the general social, economic, and artistic life of the day will be considered for publication. Contributions should be mailed to the *Quarterly* office in Old Chapel or left in Mr. Kavanagh's mailbox in that building. All contributions must be typed, double spaced, and must bear the name and address of the writer.

AE Pi Elections
Phi Chapter of the Alpha Epsilon Pi Fraternity wishes to announce the election of the following officers for the ensuing semester: Master, Daniel Isenberg; Lieutenant Master, Alan Ornstein; Scribe, Gerald Popkin; Exchequer, Herbert Clayton; Member-at-Large, Melvin Blake; Stewart, Sheldon; Promise; Inter-fraternity Representative, Robert Livingston; Sentinel, Selwyn Broitman; Historian, Norman Newman; Quarterly Correspondent, Lawrence Litwack; Alumni Secretary, Gerald Popkin; Corresponding Scribe, Herman J. Gordon.

JUST IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

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LOST!

Blue and silver fountain pen. Find.

Please return to Phil Dean, Lamb.

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The end of intermission will bring

Faculty Performance To Benefit World Student Service Fund Bug Day Held Saturday at WMUA; Extensive Strength Tests Conducted

Fan Barnum! Walk Bailey! Drop dead you Billy Rose! The greatest show of all time is about to burst over this theater-happy campus like a damp atom bomb!

Hold your breath, kiddies! The sedate faculty has finally decided to let down its toupee and trot the Bowker boards with all the talent it can muster by 8 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 19.

And this saga, chums, sprouting more corn than grows in Kansas, will parade before the footlights as "The Faculty Frolics of '50" (changed from "Follies" because of strong opinion that most faculty folly takes place in the classroom.)

Come One, Come All!

The performance, starring practically everyone a degree above the Palmer Penmanship Certificate, is directed by popular Anthony Zaitz, member of the speech section of the English department.

Proceeds go to the worthy World Student Service Fund and the show is sponsored by the campus chapter of the NSA.

Songs, skits, dancing and humor (it is hoped) will be provided by an imposing array of talent including the following stalwarts: Dean Helen Curtis, Dean Robert Hopkins, Dr. Vernon Heimis; Dean and Mrs. Frank Proutie Rand; Prof and Mrs. Cary and Miss Ruth Tatum.

Miss Vickery Hubbard, Dr. William Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Niedeck, Mr. Leon Barron and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Steikkovics.

Mr. James M. Ferrigno (master of ceremonies), Mr. and Mrs. Charles DuBois, Bob and Dorothy Fieldman, Eern and Anne Schabas, Norman and Inez Cane and Mr. Randolph Johnston.

Dean Clark L. Thayer, Mr. Theodore Kozlowski, Miss Carol Gavthrop, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold Smith and the Misses Leonta Horrigan and Floriana Tarantini.

No advance hint of the exact contents of the forthcoming show were available to the rank and file as of this writing; but the *Collegian*, noting that an event of such signal importance should not pass into history without fanfare, solicited the verdict of several topflight campus drama and music critics. Harken!

Notorious Critics Opine:

Said George Jean LaChaise: "An infamous evening of horrendous humor is unquestionably in store. By all means attend this uncultured farce to establish firmly in your minds the vast case with which Broadway gained fame at the expense of the borscht circuit."

Said Heida Levine:

"Scholarly shank-shakers are as exciting as the wedgins. Not since cults of flagellant monks did a gothic version of the can-can back in the Dark Ages has anything comparable to this pending burlesque been slated for ivied halls."

"Coeds will attend at their peril," Heda added, "for an unseemly degree of epidermal exposure seems assured. Stout kidneyed frat-nights will, however, find the answer to that thorniest of questions: Do garters do for Goldberg or does he hold up his stockings with glue?"

Quoth Brooks Atkiss:

"In keeping with the approach of the Lenten season, we are about to witness an 'early Miracle Play'; that is, rehearsals obviously didn't start early enough and anything like a hit would be a miracle."

Students attending are urged to garb themselves accordingly in sackcloth and ashes."

ED NOTE:

Some campus stage dandies on the other hand had another solution. Said one unemployed member of the Guild: "'She Stoops to Conquer' is a smash hit on Broadway right now; these guys are in the wrong bracket. They should revive instead 'The Respectful Professor' or 'Tis Pity She's a Pedagogue!'"

Oh well! Don't get killed in the crush!! See ya there.

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BOOK SITUATION IMPROVES

Adoption of a plan which will do much to eliminate the excessively long booklines should lead each of us to indulge in a quiet cheer, recognizing the fact that students do have some small effect when seeking a campus improvement. The new plan is not a complete cure for the problem. Chief beneficiaries, nearly two thousand students under the G.I. Bill, will no longer be concerned with standing in line for hours, but the remaining students, a total upwards of 1300, will still find that obtaining books is a more time-consuming job than it should be.

Despite the drawbacks, the management of the bookstore and the faculty deserve credit for their efforts, and with the change beginning in February in mind the campus can look for a time when sufficient facilities can be set up to do away with the lines completely.

"PH. T." DEGREE FOR THE WIVES

Last fall President Jesse Buchanan of the University of Idaho set forth an idea for a small tribute to be paid to the wives of graduating students. He has proposed that an Honorary "PH. T." degree (which stands for "Putting Husband Through") be conferred upon the brides who, with patience and hard work, have enabled their husbands to complete college work.

We think the idea is worthwhile. It would be fitting recognition of the contribution made by the wives, most of whom, during the college years, have shared a life lived somewhat less comfortably than that of other married couples. Married life for these women has usually meant setting up housekeeping in trailers or converted barracks instead of the usual apartment or home. Working with small incomes and a great deal of skill they have turned these dwellings into livable substitutes for the homes they look forward to.

Were it not for the willing help of their wives the men who will graduate next June probably would not have attained their degrees. This year's graduating class includes quite a large number of married men and we suggest it would be an entirely suitable gesture by the administration if it should allow the wives of these students a part in the commencement ceremonies.

The administration, the officials of the senior class should give serious consideration to this matter of the "PH. T." Confering the degree would be giving credit which is due.

WORLD NEWS IN BRIEF

Washington, Jan. 3—Two Republican leaders, ex-President Herbert Hoover and Senator Robert A. Taft, asked the United States today to protect Formosa, the present capitol of the Chinese Nationalist government. Their plea for protection, by naval force, if necessary, are in direct opposition to the policy of the Truman administration which has ruled out any military action in Formosa.

Washington, Jan. 3—John Maragon, one of the key figures in last summer's "per cent case" was indicted today by a federal grand jury for four counts of perjury. The former bootblack who worked his way up to White House influence, faces a possible prison sentence of up to forty years if he is convicted of these perjury charges.

Washington, Jan. 4—"The State of the Union continues to be good," President Truman told the newly re-convened 81st Congress in his annual message today. The president asked for a new fiscal policy to produce an increase in revenues as a stabilizing measure and virtually restated his Fair Deal program.

Washington, Jan. 5—There was an



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By Eleanor Zamarchi

Mr. Cadigan—Assistant Registrar



MR. DONALD W. CADIGAN

Want to leave school? Flunking a subject that you want to drop? Can't stand your major? Then why not drop into the office of the University's Assistant Registrar, Mr. Donald W. Cadigan. If he's as convincing as usual, you'll probably walk out not dropping a thing except the determination that you walked in with.

Before going into your problem, however, let's review how Mr. Cadigan

has been building up to his present position for the past 34 years. Born in Greenfield in 1916, he attended elementary schools there and graduated from Greenfield High in 1934.

Mr. Cadigan attended Deerfield Academy during the following year and then proceeded to Massachusetts State College where he majored in zoology. Later in '41, he did graduate work here and for a time worked in our Placement Service as a graduate assistant. Finally, he became a student registrar.

Aside from these routine affairs, Mr. Cadigan enjoys swimming very much and is quite interested in vertebrate zoology, although he has little time for it. Traveling is another avocation of his, although he has done much of his own, except as a member of the Air Forces from 1942 to 1946, when he served in Nebraska and Puerto Rico, Iwo Jima.

One of Mr. Cadigan's traditional methods of preventing a student from thinking all is lost, is to bring his own past record at the school revealing three lovely flunks in English, Chemistry, and German.

Students, take it from there!

UNIVERSITY WEEKLY CALENDAR

January 12—January 19

Thursday, January 12, 1950
MEETING, IZFA, Hillel House, 6:00; (Officers Meeting.)
MEETING, Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30
MEETING, Lutheran Club, Seminar Room, Chapel, 7:00
MEETING, Newman Club, Chapel Auditorium, 7:15
REHEARSAL, Symphony, Skinner, Room 119, 7:30

MEETING, International Relations Club, Chapel, Room C, 7:00
MEETING, Inter-Varsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15
MEETING, Massachusetts Society of Professional Engineers, Gunnus Lab, 7:00
MEETING, Auto Club, Memorial Hall, Room 4, 7:00
MEETING, Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B
MEETING, Floriculture Club, French Hall, Room 109, 7:00

Friday, January 13
DANCES, Berkshire-Plymouth Dance at Thatcher House, 8:00; Superstition Dance, Abigail Adams, 8:00; MEETING, Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity, Chapel, Room 109, 7:00
Saturday, January 14
DANCES, Square Dance, Faculty Club; Sigma Alpha Epsilon January Thaw Formal, Odd Fellows Hall; Alpha Epsilon Pi Invitation Dance; Alpha Gamma Rho Invitation Dance; Kappa Sigma Open House; Lambda Chi Alpha Open House; Phi Sigma Kappa Open House; Q.T.V. Open House; Sigma Kappa Invitation Dance; Sigma Phi Epsilon Invitation Dance; Theta Chi; Tau Epsilon Phi Open House

Monday, January 16
MEETING, Executive Board, Hillel House, 8:00
MEETING, Fencing Club, Chapel, Room C, 7:30
MEETING, SCA, Memorial Hall Auditorium, 7:00
MEETING, Phi Kappa Phi, Skinner, Room 4, 7:00

Tuesday, January 17
MEETING, Senate, Chapel Auditorium, 7:00
PERFORMANCE, Faculty Roll-out 1950 sponsored by National Staff Association, Bowker Auditorium, 8:00

Wednesday, January 18
MEETING, IZFA Officers Meeting, Hillel House, 6:00
MEETING, Forestry Club, Chapel, Room 209, 7:00
REHEARSAL, Symphony, Skinner Room 119, 7:30

Thursday, January 19
MEETING, Intersociety Bible Club, Chapel, Room D, 7:15
MEETING, German Club, Chapel, Room C, 7:15
MEETING, SCA, Memorial Hall Auditorium, 7:00
MEETING, Christian Science Group, Chapel, Room B, 7:00
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MEETING, SCA, Memorial

FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE

Monday, Jan. 23, 8:9:50 a.m.	Fri. 3:45 p.m.
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 11 MWF on daily schedule.	Psych 26 Bowker Hort S1 CH A Flori S5 F 210 Foods S1 Sk 217
Mon. 10:11:50 a.m.	Sat. Jan. 28, 8:9:50 a.m.
Mr. Rund OC A Hist 5 OC Aud; G Aud, 26, 28; Bowker	W.H. Hort S7 F 209 Foods S3 Sk 217 Fd Tech S5 FT 110
Mr. Goldberg OC C FL 204 Kitch Adm S1 F 110 Hort S3 F 209 Forces S5 P 102	
Mr. Troy OC D Oleri 25 F 102 Vet S1 (Poult.) F 106 Math S1 MB B Forces S17 P 108	
Miss Horrigan 114 Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 10 TTS on daily schedule.	V.L. Poult. S5 311 Poult. S7 F 106 Vg Gd S1 CH A
Mr. O'Donnell OC B Chem 29 G Aud, 26, 28; P Ed 43	Vg Gd S3 F 102 Wed. Feb. 1, 10:11:50 a.m.
Mr. Helming LA 1 Chem 30 G 28	Mon. 1:25 p.m. An Hus 1 114
Mr. DuBois LA 3 Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 3 TT G Aud on daily schedule.	CH A C.E. 27 EA 4 NC 406, 407
Miss Tarantino H Aud Sat. 10:11:50 a.m.	Zool 35 Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 1 MWF on daily schedule.
Mr. Marcus CH A Govt 25 G Aud, 26, 28; Bowker	Bus Mgt S1 102 Home Ec 1 Sk 217
Mr. Barron W.M. Williams Fe D Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 8 MWF on daily schedule.	Dairy S3 114 M.E. 1
Mr. Kaplan OC And FL 204 Art 25 NC 402, 406, 411 P Ed 5	Agros S7 220 P Ed 5
Mr. Allen OC And FL 204 Mon. 10:11:50 a.m.	Storckpg S1 FT 110
Mr. Lane FL 204 Art 31 WH Agros S5 113	Tues. 3:45 p.m. G Aud, 26, 28; Bowker
Mrs. Wright 102 Art 31 WH Agron S1 Bowker	Vet S1 II (An Hus) VL B
Mon. 1:25 p.m.	Math 5, 7, 29, 31 Mr. Andersen Fe D
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 3 MWF on daily schedule.	G 26 Bus Mgt S1 102 Ag Ec S3 114
Mon. 3:45 p.m.	Mr. Boutelle MB B
English 25 Mr. Goldberg OC B Mr. Allen H Aud	Ent S3 114 Ag Ec S3 114
Miss Tarantino LA 1 Miss Cullen OC Aud	Forces S1 102 Ag Eng S9 301
Miss Horrigan OC And LA 3 Mr. Rose G Aud	Fruit S7 220
Mr. Diffley FL 102 Mr. Skillings G Aud	Pract Sci 57 113
Mr. Williams G Aud Mr. Buzzell Bowker	Vet S1 (Dairy) VL B
Mr. Allen G Aud Mr. Ritger Mr. Cestre LA 2	Wed. Feb. 1, 8:9:50 a.m. MA 4; H 100
Mr. Barron Sk 4 Sk 17 Mon. Jan. 30, 10:11:50 a.m.	Mr. Mientka Mr. Charlebois LA 1
Mr. Kaplan CH A An Hus 91114	Miss Clarke OC Aud
Mr. Marcus H Aud Dairy S1 FL 204 Ag Eng S1	Mr. Goding LA 27, 32
Mr. Lane H Aud Dairy S1 FL 204 Bus Eng S1	Mr. Wexler LA 3
Mr. O'Donnell G 26 Fm Mgt S1	G Aud 220
Mr. Helming G 28 Fores S7 P 102 Bus Mgt S3	Bact S1 114
Mr. Troy OC A Fores S15 P 108 Bot S1	Agros S1 102
Tues. Jan. 24, 8:9:50 a.m.	Fruit S1 F 102
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 8 TTS on daily schedule.	F 210 Flori S1 CH A
Tues. 10:11:50 a.m.	(To be continued next week)
I. E. 25 F 1 204	
German 5, 25 Mr. Graham LA 32	
Mr. Julian LA 1 Mr. Stawiecki Bowker	
Mr. Thomas Bowker	
Mr. Tibbets Bowker	
Tues. Jan. 24, 1:25 p.m.	
Art 27 WH	
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 1 TT on daily schedule.	
Tues. 3:45 p.m.	
Soc 28 G Aud, 26, 28	
Wed. Jan. 25, 8:9:50 a.m.	
Chem 1 G Aud, 26, 28; Bowker	
P Ed 45	
Wed. 10:11:50 a.m.	
Forces 27 P 102	
Zool 25 Fe K	
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 10 MWF on daily schedule.	
Wed. 1:25 p.m.	
Hist 31 Mr. Caldwell G Aud	
Mr. Carnes OC Aud	
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 12 MWF on daily schedule.	
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 4 MWF on daily schedule.	
Wed. 3:45 p.m.	
Home Ec 31 Sk 217	
Physics 25 H 100, 111, 203, 211	
Thurs. Jan. 26, 8:9:50 a.m.	
Chem 31 G Aud, 26	
French 9 LA 8	
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 9 TTS on daily schedule.	
Thurs. 10:11:50 a.m.	
Art. 33 WH	
M.E. 3 G Aud	
Zool 1 Fe D, K, F, G	
Thurs. 1:25 p.m.	
Geol 27 Fe D, K, B	
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 4 TT on daily schedule.	
Thurs. 3:45 p.m.	
Bot 1 CH A; Fe D; G Aud	
Bot 25 CH B	
Fri. Jan. 27, 8:9:50 a.m.	
C.E. 25 220	
Fren 29 LA 1	
Poul 25 114	
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 9 MWF on daily schedule.	
Fri. Jan. 27, 10:11:50 a.m.	
Spanish 1, 7	
Mr. Fraker LA 1	
Mr. Ferrigno LA 3	
Miss Rogers OC Aud	
Mr. Sandrilla LA 27	
Mr. Wexler LA 32	
Fri. 1:25 p.m.	
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 2 MWF on daily schedule.	

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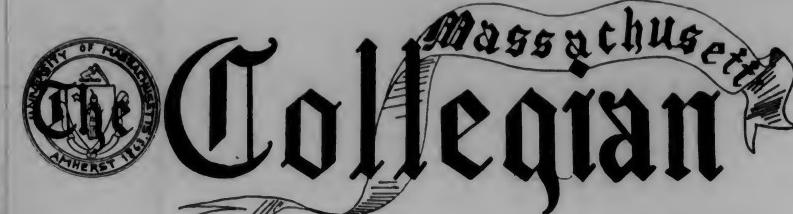
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JANUARY 19, 1950

Mad Deans, Profs, and Faculty Wives To Cavort on Bowker Stage Tonight

The faculty of the U of M will drop their suits of customary black, solemnity, and overweening dignity and attempt to recapture their lost and by the wind grieved youth tonight for the enlightenment of the student body. All this and Goldberg too!

Ezio he is slated to sing a song which Frantic director Tony Zaitz refused to reveal, but we have it on good authority that it will not be "Bloody Mary".

Dean Hopkins and Machmer will be prouetting gaily across the Bowker stage, while Art Neideck, Tony Zaitz, and Walt Sdelkova will appear in a skit written by the latter.

Performing for the distaff side will be faculty frails Vickie Hubbard, Dorothy Feldman, and Inez Card. Miss Hubbard will be back at the old stand

dancing, while Mimes, Feldman and Card will make with the tonsils.

Leon Baron is scheduled to sing

a "low-down jazz" number and Dr. Helming has prepared a skit expressing some aspect of student life. Student "C" store antics will be the object of skit written by Bob Lane of the English Department.

Master of Ceremonies for the review is Jim Ferrigno. Doric Alviani has a song shot and Dr. Bill Ross has, according to Mr. Zaitz, something up his sleeve.

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Kreiger, Gilbert Elected To Top Collegian Posts

Elizabeth Kreiger '50 and James Gilbert '51 were elected editor-in-chief and managing editor respectively of the Collegian

on Thursday's meeting.

The two new editors were voted in unanimously by a quorum of the staff. James Gilbert replaced Elizabeth Kreiger as managing editor, while Miss Kreiger moved up to replace retiring editor James Curtin.

Miss Kreiger has contributed her services to the Collegian for the last three years, and has worked her way up to her present executive position. In her Sophomore year she worked on the staff as reporter, and by her Junior year was promoted to news editor. The naming of her Senior year brought with it her election to the managing editorship and finally her election to editor-in-chief.

Miss Kreiger is a resident of Pittsfield, Massachusetts and a member of the Sigma Kappa Sorority. She is an English major and intends to enter the field of journalism upon graduation. Her campus activities have included broadcasts on the campus radio station, art editorship of the Quarterly, editorship of the handbook; she was an active member of the drill team for three years; and modern dance manager for WAA.

In his second report to the Board of Trustees since assuming the presidency, Dr. Van Meter pointed out that the post-war growth of the university to meet the needs of the veterans had resulted in a permanent doubling of the undergraduate enrollment.

"The most significant development of the year," the report said, "was the admission of 621 freshman students combined with the transfer of the last of our students from the F. Devens branch to the permanent campus at Amherst."

The freshman class was one-third larger than that of a year ago, and one-half larger than previous post-war classes on this campus," the report continued, adding that next year the undergraduate college would be able to accept 800 freshmen, or double the number that could be accepted two years ago.

As an example of the uneven growth of the University, Dr. Van Meter cited the 50 per cent increase in building floor space at the State University while the maintenance budget had made possible only a 12 per cent increase in the maintenance service.

"This is false economy," he declared, warning that "we must not let this fine plant deteriorate."

The report opposed favorable action on bills before the legislature proposing the establishment of schools of medicine, dentistry, pharmacy and law unless preceded by "careful surveys both of the need for additional services and of the possibility of the continued maintenance of schools that would be a credit to the Commonwealth."

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Annual Report To Trustees Given By President at State House Today

A program for rounding out the year, recommending instead a system of scholarships for qualified students "who cannot now afford to come to the University."

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THE HEALTH SERVICE

Strong affirmation of the definite need for a more adequate Health Service is to be found in the Chadbourne proctor's letter printed on this page. We have no doubt as to the reality of the incidents related by the writer, and when they are considered they trace in plain lines the fact, recognized in a previous editorial, that the Infirmary is not doing a thorough job in taking care of student health needs. This campus of more than three thousand students finds itself with a Health Service which gives treatment only during a limited number of hours, which provides no treatment in dorms or dorms, and which sometimes is unable to cope with even a minor trouble.

This situation is completely unjustifiable. Ostensibly, the Infirmary is for the benefit of all the students; in practice it exists only for the benefit of some students. That person is one of the chosen who is fortunate enough to suffer an injury or to become ill during the prescribed number of hours; well and good for him if his ailment permits him to reach the Infirmary, for there he becomes eligible for treatment, provided the person on duty is capable of treating the case.

Today's letter emphasizes the ridiculous state of affairs. The Senate Investigating Committee report of last month outlined the same inadequacies as well as others, and the COLLEGIAN has received five letters, containing unfavorable comment, which reveal incidents similar to those printed this week. Of the five this paper has received only one was printed, that relating to the case of a student who had to show the nurse how to prepare a bandage for a cut over his eye. We were not able to print the other letters because the complainants were unwilling to sign their names for publication. The senate committee also received damaging letters and these accompanied the report when it was given to the Administration.

In face of the evidence, including the testimony of a faculty member, we wonder how much longer the president and the deans will remain inactive in this matter.

It's clear that they should make it their business to see that the facilities of the Infirmary are extended, and they should also pay strict attention to the duty which requires them to make certain that all members of the infirmary staff are competent in their jobs.

When it establishes a thoroughly adequate Health Service the Administration will be more justified in the invitation it extends in the undergraduate catalogue, item 4 under the title Health Service: "The students are urged to consult the resident physicians at the first sign of physical disorder, or even for minor accidents. Many severe illnesses and much lost time may be avoided by early or preventive treatment." A good thought, but that's about all it represents.

HELP THE GREEKS

The new enforcement of the rule against students changing their place of residence between semesters seems certain to cause serious financial damage to several of the Greek houses. Despite the protests of the frats and sororities there is little chance that the ruling will be revoked because it appears to be a correctly considered, required move. There is little profit in asking the administration to reconsider the decision, but we do believe that it should give aid by publicizing, among the commuters and those living off campus, the need for substitutes to replace those dorm-residents who had intended to move to frats or sororities next semester. The members, who will be required to carry greater financial burdens, deserve the help.

A FINAL NOTE

This being the final issue of the COLLEGIAN for which I will serve as editor I wish to append here a final note in appreciation of the aid I have received during the past semester. My thanks go not only to the other editors and to members of the staff but also to those people of the campus whose help has simplified the task of publishing the COLLEGIAN. To our advisor, Mr. Musgrave of the Editorial Department, and Mr. Dickinson of the Business Department, to Bob McCartney of the News Service, Mr. Emery of the Alumni Association, to the secretaries of the various offices, to the club correspondents and the presidents of the many campus clubs and other organizations as well as to a large number of faculty members, I express my thanks.

To the new Editor and Managing Editor, Betty Kreiger and Jim Gilbert, I offer my best wishes. I leave the editor's position confident that with their direction the COLLEGIAN will be well-handled during the coming semester.

Jim Curtin

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Instructor's Rating Plan

To the Editor of the Collegian:

It is at this time of year, with the semester drawing to a close that most of us become acutely aware of what we have or have not learned during the preceding four months. In direct connection with this realization of conditions, is an analysis of why we did or did not learn as much as we expected to learn or as much as we were supposed to have learned.

The first cause of knowledge, or lack of knowledge, as the case may be, is undoubtedly the result of the amount of time, effort, and interest which we ourselves put into the problems concerned. A second cause, and one which greatly affects the first, is the result of whether or not our instructors have been able to present the material which they are teaching in such a manner as to enable us to understand and assimilate it.

It is well realized by education specialists that because a person has a master's or a doctor's degree he is not necessarily a good teacher, and it is my belief that this fact will be the cause of many a student burning the midnight oil in a last-ditch effort to pass his final examinations. Most of these students will pass their courses, some as a result of being gifted with a more active and receptive mind, and others as a result of sheer desperation.

But what about those who will not make the grade? Undoubtedly the powers that be will pass off these unfortunate as not being fitted to take the course in the first place, or as having spent too much time away from their books. But is this the real answer? I believe not. Rather, I believe that many of those students who fail to pass certain courses are the unfortunate victims of instructors who never should have assumed a position at the front of a classroom.

I do not mean to imply that these people do not know the material which they are supposed to be teaching. They undoubtedly do. One does not receive a master's or a doctor's degree without thorough study and knowledge of his subject. Knowledge of material, however, is no criterion of ability to present that material in such a way that students are able to understand it.

It is not the sole purpose of this letter to raise an issue or gripe, but to suggest a remedy. One should not complain of existing conditions until he has a suggestion which he believes will bring about an improvement.

Last year there was considerable publicity about the student rating blanks used by the School of Agriculture, and which were tried out in other departments on campus. The use of these forms in the past has been to serve as a means of assisting the instructor so that he may learn his weak points, and so he may make an effort to improve his teaching. In an attempt to correct the conditions, mentioned above, I would like to suggest the following ideas:

1. A variation of these student rating forms which would make them applicable to all members of all departments. Have these forms filled out by the students in duplicate, one for the instructor, and one to be sent to a special reviewing board consisting of both students and members of the administration.

2. Those instructors who consistently are ranked below by two-thirds or more of their class for three semesters, and who show no improvement over this period, should be obliged to appear before this special board in an effort to correct their difficulties. If this is not successful, a recommendation should be made

WORLD NEWS IN BRIEF

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 9—Over one thousand college executives at the annual convention of the Association of American Colleges heard the medical profession attack today of using "Petrillo and Fishbein economics" in keeping down the number of students admitted to medical school. The committee stated that thousands of well-qualified college students were being kept out of medical school, even though the country still faces a shortage of doctors.

Lake Success, Jan. 10.—The Soviet representative to the United Nations, Jacob A. Malik, staged a carefully prearranged walkout today when the Security Council refused to give immediate consideration to a Soviet resolution calling for the exclusion of Dr. T. F. Tsing, representative of Nationalist China, who was presiding at the meeting.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The National Security Council has given initial approval to a "Help Tito" program which will involve the shipment of military supplies to Yugoslavia if she is attacked by Russia or her satellites. The Council approved the motion, even though they recognize the fact that Yugoslavia's main weakness is an economic one.

Washington, January 12—Admiral Forrest P. Sherman was unanimously confirmed today as Chief of Naval Operations. The confirmation came after a lengthy dispute on the removal of his predecessor, Admiral Louis E. Denfeld.

Lake Success, Jan. 13—For the second time this week, Jacob A. Milak, Soviet Representative to the U.N., walked out of the Security Council when the group rejected his proposal to oust Dr. T. F. Tsing, the representative of the Chinese Nationalist government.

Washington, Jan. 14—135 consular representatives and their families have been ordered to leave Communist China. The order was issued today by Secretary of State Dean Acheson with the full approval of President Truman, after it was learned that the Communists had seized the United States consular office in Peiping.

Sonoma, Calif., Jan. 15—The wartime commander

Infirmary Complaints

ED. NOTE: Copies of the following letter have been sent by the writer to President Van Meter, Dean Hopkins, Dr. Radcliffe, and to Miss Litsky of the Senior Infirmary Investigation Committee.

Dear Sir:

I have been interested in the discussion of the quality of the student medical services. I am directly concerned in view of the fact that, as head proctor of dormitory, I am expected to be ready to supervise handling of any emergencies which arise from time to time. I wish to report in this letter the events of the four "emergencies" which have come to my attention since October 12, 1949.

On October 12, a group of students were playing touch football near Butterfield when one fell and injured his leg. There was concern lest the leg be broken. However, the infirmary told the students to bring the injured man to them! I was then consulted and recommended the services of Dr. Eugene Holden of Amherst. Fortunately, there was no break and Dr. Holden removed this student to the infirmary for further treatment.

On November 28, my breakfast was interrupted when a student came to my door so ill that I had to give him emergency attention. I then took him to the infirmary with the intention of getting him in bed as soon as possible. Instead, I was required by the infirmary to take the student to the waiting room until the office opened at 9:00 a.m.

On the evening of January 11, a student reported to Mrs. Bond that he had gone to the infirmary with a badly swollen hand. There the nurse did not know what to do and asked him to return in the morning. Mrs. Bond noticed how red and swollen his hand was and suggested he find a doctor. Unfortunately, she failed to take the name of the student and I was unable to follow the case further.

On the evening of January 12, a student twisted his knee while playing ping-pong in Chadbourne House. Although it was not painful, the knee did swell. I removed the student to the infirmary where again, no physician was on duty. A physician was called but declined to come until morning! Had I realized this was going to happen, I certainly would have taken the student to a local Amherst physician.

These are simply four isolated events. Unfortunately, they represent all of my contacts with the medical services for the students. Therefore, to me the situation is significant. As emergencies arise in the future I am going to think twice about utilizing these services unless there is real improvement in the reception I get in the handling of emergency situations.

Charles F. Bond
Head Proctor, Chadbourne Hall

that they investigate the possibilities of pursuing some other means of livelihood than that of standing in front of a classroom. In like manner, the reviewing board should pass on to the administration recommendations for promotions for those instructors who consistently rank high in their teaching abilities or those who show marked improvement from year to year.

Certainly a university such as ours should exist for the purpose of serving the many students who attend it, rather than for the benefit of the few who stand at the head of a classroom for the supposed purpose of disseminating knowledge. It is hoped that the suggestions in this letter will be seriously considered as a means of furthering this objective.

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that will be played as follows:

Rosamunde Overture — Schubert

Symphony No. 40, G Minor — Mozart

L'Arlesienne Suite No. 1 — Bizet

Piano Concerto No. 1 — Beethoven

In addition to the orchestral arrangements which are scheduled, there will be a soloist on the program.

Miss Patricia Dworski from Smith College is expected to highlight the concert with her solo performance in the orchestra.

Play in the qualifying round will begin on Tuesday, February 7, at 6:30. A second qualifying round will be run off on Wednesday night, with the semi-final play scheduled for Thursday. Tournament play on these three nights is scheduled for Memorial Hall. The finals of the tournament will be played at a time and place convenient to those participating.

A fee of thirty-five cents will be charged to entrants in order to defray the cost of cards and prizes.

Those wishing to enter may sign up with Bill Hafey in Memorial Hall, or with any other member of the committee.

As in the previous tournament, a system of duplicate contract bridge will be used. This system follows the regular rules of contract bridge, but in the scoring of the hands.

Because of the large number of enthusiastic participants in the previous event, the committee is hoping for a successful response to the announcement of the second tournament.

Advanced bridge playing ability is not a prerequisite for entrance into this tournament. Many of the participants in the first event entered and played because of sheer enthusiasm for the game. All players have an equal chance in the tournament, because each hand is played by each pair of players, and scoring is done on a comparative basis.

Members of the committee, who will accept entry fees at any time, are Bill Hafey, Ted Okolo, Phil Powers, Helen Woolson, Jack Codey, Ivan Baginski, and Betty Kreiger.

Music for dancing was provided by recordings. Prof. and Mrs. Schoonmaker and Dr. and Mrs. Smith were guests.

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Feeding". Please return to John Hartley, Lewis Hall.

The End of a Fiscal Year

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THOMAS F. WALSH — College Outfitter

Let It Snow, Let It Snow!



"Angel Street" Broadway and Cinema Success To be 1st Presentation of University Players

The selection of Patrick Hamilton's "Angel Street" as the first production of the University Players was announced this week by Prof. Arthur Niedeck, advisor to the dramatic group.

"Angel Street," the play that made famous names of Judith Evelyn and Vincent Price, was first presented at the Richmond Theatre in London in 1938, under the title of "Gaslight."

The University Chorus will present Gilbert and Sullivan's "H.M.S. Pinafore" at Bowker Auditorium on the 17th and 18th of March, it was announced recently by Student Manager Anne McElroy.

enjoyed a long New York run at the John Golden Theatre, and has been presented as a motion picture starring Ingrid Bergman and Charles Boyer.

Called a "Victorian thriller in 3 acts," "Angel Street" tells the story of handsome maniacal Mr. Manningham who, under the guise of kindness, is torturing his wife into insanity. Mrs. Manningham is accused of petty aberrations that have actually been arranged by her husband, and since her mother died of insanity, the frightened wife is easily convinced of her mental weakness.

The production is under the direction of Doric Aliviani; Bob Boland is set designer and technical adviser. Jane and Ann McElroy are co-managers. There are 65 students in the chorus of this spring production.

Although details are not yet available, it was indicated that the show will be an experiment in college musical production. In fact, this will be the first time to our knowledge that Gilbert and Sullivan has ever been presented in this manner.

The models will be wearing clothes from McCallum's of Northampton where the show is presented in Bowker auditorium on the night of February 14.

The production is under the direction of Ezra Schabas, who is presenting a concert on the Sunday following vacation.

The play itself covers the action of one day, in which Mrs. Manningham is visited by a benign detective who convinces her that her husband is a criminal, suspected of an ancient murder. The balance of the play is devoted to uncovering the necessary evidence against Mr. Manningham.

Only five characters are included in the cast of the play, and a small production staff will be sufficient for putting "Angel Street" on the stage. Members of the cast are:

Mr. Manningham — Dan Daly
Mrs. Manningham — Doris Carbone
Rough, the detective — Bert Narbiss
Elizabeth, the housekeeper — Phyllis Nancy, the maid — Alice O'Donnell

All are veterans of previous Roister Doister productions. Daly and Narbiss held important roles in the recent production of "A Midsummer Night's Dream." Miss Carbone and Miss Cole will be remembered for their performances in "Berkeley Square" and "I Remember Mann" with last year's Roister Doister group. Miss O'Donnell's major dramatic work on this campus was in the title role of "I Remember Mama."

Topics from the Tower

By Barb Curran

WMUA will not retain its regular eight-hour broadcasting day during the period of final exams. However, special broadcasts will be arranged during the afternoon and evening.

During the vacation between semesters the station staff members will remain to work on ironing out technical difficulties. Several controls on the panel board in the engineering room at the studio have not been in use in the recent weeks because of the insufficient time for their installation.

In addition to the above-mentioned project it is hoped that six microphone amplifiers will be in operation by the beginning of second semester.

Besides setting up an effective public address system in the cage for the basketball games, WMUA is also broadcasting the home games for campus listening.

Big General Meeting

A general meeting for all members of the radio station and those who may be interested in joining the group will be held Thursday, February 9, at Skinner Hall at 7:30.

Budget Planned For Fiscal Year '50

Next year's budget for the University, recommended by the State Administration to the Ways and Means Committee of the Legislature, provides for approximately the same financial support as last year; Governor Paul Dever's recent budget recommendations show.

In the fiscal year starting July 1, 1949, a total of \$4,707,815 was appropriated. For the fiscal year starting this July 1, a total of \$4,691,795 was recommended by the budget. The Ways and Means Committee may add to or subtract from the commissioner's recommendation in making the committee's request to the Legislature.

Most items in the proposed budget for the coming year are slightly higher than those of the current year. However, the budgets for non-employee services, food, clothing, repairs, and special supplies were reduced below the appropriations for this year.

LOST

One black and gold Sheaffer pen with the initials E. M. S. Owner, Elinor Stein, Finder please return to Alumni Office, Mem Hall.

Germany

Dr. Paul S. Graham, head of the German department at Smith College will address Germany, the new German club on campus, January 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the seminar room of Old Chapel.

This will be the second meeting of the newly formed German Club. Germany has a full schedule planned for the next semester, including the election of officers. It is hoped that all interested students of advanced German will join in making the club a successful one.

The talk by Dr. Graham is open to the public.

Lambda Chi

Gamma Chapter of Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity wishes to announce the recent election of the following officers. President, Frank O'Keefe; Vice-President, Robert Mulvaney; Secretary, Mario Fortunato; Treasurer, Arthur Schofield; House Manager, Raymond Beaulac; Social Chairman, James Stapleton; Steward, Martin Flynn; Rushing Chairman, Robert Kroek; Pledge Trainer, Philip Dean; Ritualist, Joseph Durant; Corresponding Secretary, James Shevis; Librarian, Richard Tibert; and Groundskeeper, James Chadwick.

Faculty Women's Pageant
The University of Massachusetts Faculty Women will present a Style Pageant for members on Thursday, January 26th, in Skinner Hall Auditorium at three p.m.

Five University Coeds, Two Stockbridge Gals Are Majoring In Husbandry; Animal, That Is

By Barb Curran

The radio station is making every effort to enlist sophomores and freshmen in a training program in technical work and production next semester. Those interested in taking part in this program should attend the general meeting on February 9.

Plans are now being made to hold these meetings once a month for all station members. Wayne Langill, Station Manager, announced this week.

Langill also stated that George Doyle, Production Manager, who is leaving his post on the station staff at the end of this semester, Doyle's successor will be announced in the very near future.

For the best in listening pleasure tune in to 650 on your dial to WMUA, your campus station.

Pre-Vet Club

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The Floriculture Club is to be responsible for the decorations, and the gowns will be loaned by McCullum's Store in Northampton. A St. Valentine's Day theme will be used.

The Roister Doisters Inter-Class Play Contest will be held on Thursday, February 16, at 7 p.m. in Bowles Auditorium. Each play will be directed by a member of the class producing it. A track meet from 2:30-5 p.m. with the UM versus University of Connecticut will take place in the Cage.

A swimming meet with the UM versus LaSalle College with the world's greatest breast-stroke champion as a participant will take place on Friday, February 17, at the pool in the Phys-Ed Building.

The highlight of the Winter Carnival Week, the Carnival Ball, will fill the hours from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. on Friday evening. The Cage will be a scene of a beautiful ball with music by Enoch Light's Orchestra and the Ray Eberle Quintet. A "storm of color", a magnificent color spectacle, will be among the missing next year.

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AN HUS MAJORS—From left to right, the seven farmerettes above are Jean Hartley, Doris Allen, Lucia Pierce, Gladys Kimball, Judy Stoyle, Eleanor Crowell, Lois Rhinehart. The helpers are unidentified.

Student Council

At the January 4 convocation, all of the Student Council officers were elected permanently, except for Ray Sullivan, who resigned. Jerry Callahan was elected to take her place.

It was voted to organize a committee to make preparations for a senior dance. It was decided that the class officers should handle the arrangements.

Advertising Game Aided By Video

Ed. Note: This is the first in a series of articles by Collegian reporters concerning a survey of business conditions and of jobs for the college seniors.

by Elbert Taitz

"Advertising is now a departmental industry, and applicants entering it should not expect to work the typical business day of eight to five," declared Mr. Daniel F. Sullivan, president of the Daniel F. Sullivan Advertising Agency of Boston to this reporter.

The head of one of the few "Four-A" agencies (there are only 260 Four-A agencies among 2500 in the country) went on to say that the advertising young hopeful entering Advertising should possess the minimum of a B.A. degree, although there is always the exception who will succeed without a college education.

Gone from the post of Art Editor will be Bill Tague, an Amherst man, a Navy veteran of two years. He has been a collegian photographer for four years, Art Editor for three years, Tague was also in the photography department of the Index for two years, working as co-editor for one. Bill, a chem major will do graduate work here.

The sports staff will lose Russ Brode, Brode, whose home is in Brookline, spent two years in the Army. Preceding his work at U.M., he spent two years on the Statesman at Fort Devens where at one time another, he held every staff post except that of editor. Russ gets his B.A. in marketing. He is a former Collegian sports editor.

A features man, Elbert Taitz, will be gone in February. Taitz, an economics major, has been very active in school newspaper work. At the Galesburg, Ill., branch of IU, he founded and served as business manager of the school newspaper. Following a year and a half there, Taitz spent a year at Fort Devens working on the Statesman. He has been on the Collegian staff one and a half years. Taitz has also served two years as president of IZFA and was public relations chairman for two years. On campus he has been active in the Business Ad club, holding the post of Public Relations Director. A founder of DATEM, Taitz expects to enter the public relations field.

Television Pushes Ads
Mr. Sullivan also emphasized the tremendous revolutionary and dynamic stimulus that television is giving the Advertising profession. (Incidentally, this year's examination will be given in Boston on February 18.)

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Did you know that a good wife is worth \$10,000 dollars to a farmer? Yes Sir, this little practical personalty is often considered the most important factor leading to efficient farm management and subsequent success. SHE is the one who attends to the many little chores of the country domicile, and she must both understand her husband's problems and lend him moral support during "hard times."

Future Farmers of America, we are dropping this gentle but obvious hint—there are seven SINGLE girls taking agricultural courses on the campus, and six of them are animal husbandry majors (animal husbandry, get it?).

Here's the inside scoop on the five who are University co-eds. Perhaps someone will find this a plausible reason for choosing an An Hus course next semester!

Five University Co-Eds

Doris Allen, who lives in Somerville, developed her interest for good life while working during vacation on her uncle's farm. An active member of 4-H, she wants to raise the wealthy men's breed of dairy cattle, known to ordinary people as Guernseys. Of course, there's always the chance that she'll enter the research field.

Lucia Peirce comes from a town almost as small as Amherst, by name of Hingham. Taking hints from her Dad, who is a University graduate, Lucia maintains 15 head of Jersey cows and 10 Hampshire sheep at the home farm. Maybe you have seen her showing her cattle at various local fairs. It was her activity in 4-H that earned Lucia a scholarship.

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Club Notes**Bus Ad Club**

The University of Massachusetts Business Administration Club will present Mr. J. P. Casey, Sales Manager of the Belial Motor Sales Company of Springfield, as the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the organization at 7:15 tonight in Room 11 of the Old Chapel.

Mr. Casey will speak on opportunities in the Sales and Credit fields. President Struzer has announced that membership cards will be available to all students enrolled in the School of Business Administration and Economics.

Refreshments will be served to all those attending.

TEP Elections

Chancellor—Hal Fienman; Vice-Chancellor—Eliot Cohen; Scribe—Beryl Waldman; Historian—Earl Winer; Assistant Scribe—Paul Goldberg; Assistant Bursar—Dan Diamond; Executive Board Members at Large—Shep Bloomfield and Sam Kaplan; Warden—Arky Rosenfeld.

Hillel

Hillel announces a lax and bagle breakfast to be held this Sunday at the Hillel House at 10:30. The program which is being co-sponsored by IZFA will primarily honor those students who are graduating in February. At this time announcement will be made of those second-semester seniors receiving Hillel awards of merit; the actual awards will be presented at the annual spring celebration.

Regular Friday evening services will not be held, but services will precede the breakfast.

IZFA

The University of Massachusetts chapter of the Intercollegiate Zionist Federation of America announces the results of its election held last Wednesday.

Arnold Jacobs was elected president for the spring semester. Other officers include Stan Labowitz, 1st Vice president; Larry Litwack, 2nd Vice president; Corresponding secretary is Bailey Schanberg; Bert Vagoda, Recording Secretary and Ray Michelson, Treasurer.

A combined Hillel-IZFA breakfast (lax and bagle) will be held next Sunday in honor of the graduating seniors. Friday evening services have been postponed till Sunday immediately preceding the breakfast.

The University chapter of IZFA was recently host chapter at a lax and bagle breakfast to the Mt. Holoyoke and Smith chapters.

Lavish plans are being completed for the annual "Cafe Tel Aviv" musical variety show to be held February 11.

LOST

In Liberal Arts Annex shortly before Christmas vacation, a yellow, green, and red plaid kerchief. If found, please contact Louise Cushing, Thatcher Hall.

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Housing ...
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campus, non-college regulated housing.

Regulations in Catalogue

The text of the regulation, found on page eighty-two of the catalogue is as follows: "Students who are assigned to housing operated by the university, or to houses approved by the university, are expected to occupy them for the entire school year and may not be released sooner except as their places are taken by suitable substitutes."

The administration by this action reverses the policy followed in past years of the housing shortage on campus, during which period students were urged to find off-campus accommodations whenever possible.

The new enforcement of the old ruling will cause several fraternities and sororities considerable difficulty, according to statements of members of AEPi, Lambda Chi, SPT, Pi Phi, Sigma Ep. These houses were planning to replace seniors graduating in February from underclassmen now residing in college housing. This new application of the residence clause will balk the replacing of the graduatings Greeks.

Fraternity Men Unhappy
Herbert Clayton, treasurer of AEPi had this to say about the ruling: "We are entirely disgusted with the administration's policy in this matter. By it, frat members of three years standing will now be refused a chance to live in the frat their last semester." Continuing, Clayton claimed that the administration has nine hundred students in non-college

housing; many of whom would be glad of a chance to live in a college dorm. Other frat men expressed similar feelings.

Reached for comment, Dean Robert Hopkins stated that the administration is obliged to have college dorms fully occupied at all times. Crowded conditions during the war years forced a temporary abeyance of the housing regulation.

Treasurer Robert Hawley could not be reached for comment.

Lyrics for the show were written by Miss Hubbard. Bob McCartney is in charge of lighting; Prof. and Mrs. Rand on make-up; Art Neideck on stage managing; Ezra Schabas will furnish the music. The one and only performance of Faculty Frantics is for the benefit of the N.S.A.W.S.S.F.

There seems to be an air of mystery about the whole business, but we do know that there will be at least four production numbers featuring the entire chorus, which consists of Carol Gawthrop, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith, Flo Tarantino, Walt Mientka, Miss Pierpont, Dr. Carey, Dean Machmer, Dr. Goldberg, T. Koslowski, Dean Curtis, Bob Lane, Vickie Hubbard, Col. Todd, Dean Mitchell, Dr. and Mrs. Woodsides and Chas. Dubois.

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Dean Hopkins' reason for the new ruling, or rather, the new enforcement of an old rule, is that the recently constructed dormitories are self-liquidating, and therefore, cannot stand the financial loss of the twenty students who wish to move.

It was stated that the University would be able to stand the financial deduction of so few students much more easily than the respective houses, who may lose as much as \$80 on each vacancy in the house per semester.

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MEAL SITUATION

It would appear that many of the students on this campus are up-in-arms, and rightly so, over the unfortunate condition which existed in campus dining halls just prior to the close of the first semester. Student meal tickets, which are purchased on a semester basis, expired with the evening meal on Friday, January 27th. The final examination period, however, extended past that date, and until Wednesday, February 1st. Therefore, the many students who had finals on the last three days of the exam period suddenly found themselves forced to pay cash for their meals during the final week of exams.

Many of those affected were veteran students attending school under the G.I. Bill. Their February government checks did not arrive in time to take care of this extra and unexpected expense, and the January checks had just been paid out for second semester bills which had to be taken care of before registration. Other students, also caught unawares, were without the ready cash to finance their meals during the last three days of the semester.

The whole situation appears to us unnecessary and unfair. Granted that an inspection of the meal ticket itself would have disclosed the date of its expiration—but why was the arbitrary date chosen in the first place, and why was it set in the middle of the exam period instead of at the end?

Surely the few students who complete their finals early do not constitute a group large enough to affect meal planning and serving at the cafeterias to any great extent. We see no reason why such a situation should have existed, and strongly recommend that the Senate Mess Committee take steps to insure against repetition of the situation in the future.

AN INTRODUCTION

Now that the debacle of final exams is over and the few mute survivors have retreated to their old familiar haunts to lick their wounds and plan the spring campaign, we shall dust off a few clichés and attempt to enlighten you as to future Collegian policy. In this issue we are initiating opinion columns. For this happy task we have recruited Bruce T. Bowens, the poor man's Aristotle, and Ed Craft, shatterer of dear illusions. These merchants of venom are no strangers to former Devenamen who read their columns in the Statesmen with mixed emotions. Indeed, Bowens gradually became known as "that '77"; Bowens" and impious Ed aroused the wrath of many with a pungent treatise entitled "Christ In A Zoot Suit."

All this is by way of preparing you for many a rude shock. Bowens' classical references will probably baffle some of you and Craft's intricate web of thought will mystify others. However, we feel that if you will bear with these budding young philosophers in their search for truth you will, though you may not agree with what they have to say, start thinking.

PUBLICITY

On page six of this issue of the Collegian will be found a group of six editorials which appeared in Massachusetts newspapers in praise of the 1950 annual report of President Van Meter on the state of the University. These are only six of many editorials which have been written since the publication of the document in January. Undoubtedly many more will be written before the report is forgotten.

Without exception, the editorials expressed hearty approval of the ideas presented by President Van Meter. Among the items especially lauded were the University service to veterans, the opposition to a Boston branch of the University, and proposed budget hike and expansion of the college facilities.

The editorials are being reprinted from the various papers so that students at the University may get some idea of the interest shown in its activities by people in all parts of the state. This is perhaps the best publicity we can hope for in behalf of our growing University. But let's not stop here. If six of the newspapers in Massachusetts see fit to run editorials on the President's report, why not sixty... and why not on other aspects of the University as well? This is just a start... we can make it much greater if we continue work that is newsworthy and laudable.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

PARKING LOT RUTS

January 20, 1950

Dear Editor:

At the present time the situation at the South Parking Area is a disgrace to the University. It is particularly disgraceful because of the impression it gives to visitors who are forced to use it.

During warm weather the area becomes a sea of mud. Unwary pedestrians in the vicinity are lucky if they are not spattered by cars coming out.

When the weather turns cold, the mud turns into a mass of frozen, uneven ruts which are enough to strain even the chassis of a jeep.

The entrance at the lower end is particularly difficult. It is impossible to avoid numerous deep holes. More than one unfortunate driver has put an unnecessary strain on his car (and on his vocabulary too) by blundering into them, especially at night. The impression given people attending events such as concerts and basketball games is certainly not a good one.

Of course, the inevitable answer will be lack of money to remedy the situation. However, it might be pointed out that snow removal has been every negligible expense so far this year. Would it be too much to suggest that some of the money saved be spent in gravel in order that the worst of the holes be filled up?

Conditions are bad enough now. They promise to be worse by spring when the frost starts to come out of the ground. It is to be hoped that some positive action will be taken before then.

Sincerely,

Paul K. Swanson '51
Rod MacLeod '52

NO SWIMMING STORIES

To the Editor of the Collegian:

What's happened to your sports reporters? I couldn't find one word of news about our swimming team in last week's Collegian. Their record is fair and even if it weren't that would be no reason to not hear about them.

These boys train just as hard as any other athletes, if not harder. The team has some pretty good swimmers; why not give them credit for all their hard work? I'm not asking for headlines, just let the public know what they're doing.

Carole Anderson '53

GUEST EDITORIAL

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is an excerpt from the annual report of President Van Meter to the Board of Trustees, the Governor, and the Citizens of the Commonwealth on the state of the University. The title of the report, which covers the period from January 1949 to January 1950, is "Building a Well-Balanced University of Massachusetts."

"Contact with other students is an important part of a college education. If scholarship is to be translated into effective living and worth-while accomplishment, the student must learn to understand and to work with people. The individual who can see no viewpoint but his own is likely to meet solid obstruction everywhere. Formal educational activities cannot occupy all the time of a student, for a human being cannot long stand that kind of schedule. The University campus with some 85 student organizations offers something of interest to everyone, and it is an ideal laboratory in which to learn to work with people toward common objectives.

"The student will never again know so many people so intimately from close day to day contacts. Here he can learn to give way on minor matters or demand a little more until a stand is reached that is acceptable to the majority without compromising anything fundamental. Here he can learn that character and ability are the important attributes of men, and that they are not decided by race, creed, or color. Here he can learn to exercise ever keener discrimination in selecting leaders of character and ability, and here can get a fine start on many things that make for good citizenship. Extra-curricular activities are a very important part of the educational program, and their development on the campus has been favored by the larger student body."

Today, as somewhat more mature individuals, we look back upon that remarkable gadget in a different light. Suppose that the tube were made to represent the limitations on human understanding; the mirrors, our convictions and philosophy if we are sufficiently developed; the colored pieces the facts presented; the forged lens, the blur which ego and the struggle for self-preservation cause to dim our view; and the turning process, in the end, were made to represent the development of our intellect. So, as we turn the lens, we view the facts and employ our intuition and intellect to greater advantage—and designs change. When considered in such aspect, a product of Baconian materialism becomes significant in the indoctrination of imperfect men.

Fact may be described as predigested mental food which has momentarily satisfied the taste buds of the inquisitive tongue of men's minds. That what is accepted as fact today will be accepted as such tomorrow, is pure hypothesis, for under the "rain of scientific inquisitiveness," the lump of sugar (which is fact) goes into solution and under pressure from philosophical ovens, new and more remarkable crystals are formed. Note that the two forces must work together, although they travel diverse paths.

A new system of scoring was introduced into the tournament this time. Under the system, each round is tallied separately and an average score found for North-South and East-West players. Individual scores are then added or subtracted from the average, giving each pair a plus or minus score from that figure.

The tournament is being run by a committee under the direction of Bill Hafey. Mr. Hafey also conducted the first Contract Bridge Tournament held on this campus.

Second round play was held last night in Memorial Hall, and the semifinals are scheduled for this evening at 6:30. The finals will be held at the convenience of the participating pairs. Time and place will be decided after the semifinal round tonight.

Two North-South and two East-West teams were chosen in each of the four final rounds, so that four tables will be in operation, and two rounds of duplicate bridge were played.

The obvious lesson to learn would appear to be that,

when convictions have grown sufficiently to become a philosophy, there should be elasticity enough to allow for change and growth of that philosophy. With such an allowance, a greater intellectual humility will naturally develop; and the ugly, snarling brat (dogma), born of ignorance and imprefect reason, will lie dead on the battlefield across which men push to reach their goal.

Once again, we pick up our childhood plaything but with a new spirit.

What of him who is blind, or has no hands?

Driver Training

The next meeting of the Physical Education Department will be held on February 14, at 7 p.m. in Room 10 of the Phys Ed Building.

The speaker for the evening will be Eugene J. Fanning, supervisor of Driver Education and Driver Training for the Registry of Motor Vehicles in Massachusetts. He will speak on "Driver Training".

The meeting is open and all are welcome.

French Scholarship

Miss Jean Ferson, a sophomore at the University of Massachusetts, has received a French government scholarship in recognition of her outstanding work in French language studies. The award was made by M. René Messier, cultural adviser to the French Embassy in New York City.

Miss Ferson, a native of Middleboro (Mass.) is majoring in English at the state university. She is minor in French and resides at the French House in Thatcherville.

An entry fee of thirty-five cents was charged for the tourney, and the winning pair will receive the total sum collected as their prize.

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—WINTER CARNIVAL—

WHEN THE WINNER FLASHES OVER THE LINE HIS EQUIPMENT IS APT TO BE NORTHLAND—THE CHOICE OF EXPERTS—LOOK FOR THE TRADEMARK—THERE CAN BE NOTHING BETTER THAN THE BEST.

THOMAS F. WALSH
College Outfitter



Presentation Of Frantics In Bowker Benefits Student-Faculty Relations



"Damn it, Fazole, either stop posting your final grades or move to another office!"

Tossing From A New Stance
From The Brickyard

by Bruce T. Bowens

Weak-minded as I am, I have been bamboozled into producing a weekly diatribe to be known as a column. Not that I don't enjoy writing; I do. But the deadline habit is incompatible with my rather desultory nature. My favorite method of working is to lie flat on my back until the muse slinks in and inspires me, rise and wield the pencil at white heat, then sink back and sleep the whole thing off. It's a sort of periodic bat. But now I shall have editors breathing down my neck and shouting, "Damn the muse, full speed ahead!" Hence, if this column sometimes seems dragged from a slough of lethargy and touched with petulance, the reader will understand that it simply was not the muse's week. *Dormit Homerum.*

For Prejudices . . .

As to subject matter, I have been given a sort of *carte blanche*. The only admonition delivered by our editor was, "Keep it clean, keep it clean!" What little warning is all right except for the divergence of opinion as to what is clean and what is not. I venture to estimate that much of what we seem perfectly legitimate to myself is blasphemous, cynical, twentieth-century, scientific mind would appear as the rankest indecency to others more prominent on campus. Well, "Time Marches on," I always say, and in marching steps ahead! Hence, if this column sometimes seems dragged from a slough of petulance and withered up in my grasp, it might as well go on in my own crudely repulsive way, uttering what seems to me to be the truth, regardless of what tender prejudices or austere traditions stand in the way. Perhaps you will be amazed at what screwy ideas I have—or so they tell me.

. . . The Healing Sword

The real trouble with my volleys, you will discover, is that they are never fired in accordance with the ethics (sic) of war. Instead of choosing sides and getting into a trench with the rest of the boys, I indulge in the mad and unorthodox practice of standing in the middle of No Man's Land tossing bricks in all directions—a supremely unpopular pastime, to be sure, highly productive of enemies and somewhat trying on one's erstwhile friends. Even so, let it be understood that my intentions are not malicious. The bricks I throw are thrown like Achilles' javelin "to wound for ill and then to heal for good."

The Unclassified Column

In the process, I hope to be able to defy classification. Thus, if at any time, I find myself being addressed consistently as liberal or conservative or what-have-you, I shall know that intellectual rigor mortis has set in and that I have allowed laziness to overcome my lust for truth. For I am convinced that the only valid "position" is a quick, elusive motion, independent of dogmas and labels, cynical, if you will, and certainly critical, like the giddiness about the rump of Athena. "Hand me that hemlock, son!"

Well, I see that I have used up all my space with this *apologia pro vita sua*. But there is method in it. Let this be an earthen breastwork within which I may hide and whence, once a week, I may toss a brick, let it fall where it may.

Next week, let's have a few words with our campus sororities and fraternities. Till then, here's tossing one at you!

Hillel

Hillel announced that a Friday evening service will be held at 7:45 this week at the Hillel House. A special program has been prepared and all are invited to attend.

Plans for future programs this semester include a possible Marriage Forum on February 19 preceded by a buffet supper, and an open house meeting at the new Quarterly office in Memorial Hall Tuesday, February 14, at 5 p.m. or to contact Miss Hammel at Sigma Delta Tau.

Quarterly Competitions

Competition is now open for positions on the editorial board of *The Quarterly*, it was announced this week by Editor Faye Hammel.

Any juniors, sophomores, or freshmen who are interested in working for the magazine are urged to attend a meeting at the new Quarterly office in Memorial Hall Tuesday, February 14, at 5 p.m. or to contact Miss Hammel at Sigma Delta Tau.

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SPORTS



Road Trips Prove Costly As Redmen Drop Three In A Row 5-7 Record As Rams, R.P.I. and Wesleyan Top Varsity

Despite a valiant last minute attempt to overcome a massive 20 point lead, the Redmen dropped a 76-66 decision to a strong Rhode Island five in their first post-vacation game last Monday night. It was the seventh loss in 12 starts, and the fourth in a row after a 5-3 season's start.

Heading the scoring parade were Bill Prevey with 25 and Hal Ostman, who hit for 14 in seven successive sets, mostly from the corners. Having slipped to 20 points behind with 9 minutes of play remaining, Hal Ostman caught fire and on his series of sets, along with the normally hot Prevey, combined to produce 19 points in the remaining minutes of the game. Five by McCauley three by Goldman and a basket by Erlandson totaled to a 29 point final quarter to match a slipping Rams 20, and at one point, as the two minute rule went into effect, the big twenty point lead had been shrivelled to a much more respectable 8 points and the Massmen were back in the game.

With time running out, however, the Redmen were unable to continue their last minute dash for the finish line and the final tally found them behind 10 points.

Rhody Has Height

The Blue and White of Rhode Island had the advantage of height over the Redmen, with three 6'3" starters, and controlled the backboards and jumps throughout the game. What started out to be an even match game for the first 10 minutes (15-14) quickly turned into RI's favor as they pulled ahead and kept the lead for the remainder of the playing time.

Four of the Redmen were eventually eliminated from a game that piled up 32 personal fouls, thirty-one of them to the Massmen's credit. Gagnon, Johnston, Ostman and Smith were all charged with 5 personals. Smith, a transfer from Syracuse, has just become eligible for the varsity five and will complete the season with them. Many disputed judgments, and seemingly one sided affairs at that, aided the ease-out of the four players.

Notwithstanding Prevey's push shots and Hal Ostman's top set-shooting, sweetest score of the game was contributed through an assist by Bob "Stitchless" Johnston. Bob, cornered under the opposition's basket with the ball, and lacking anyone to pick him up, apparently decided that the best play was to bounce the ball out of bounds off his man. A quick throw, and the ball bounced off his man's head, and swished through the basket for a solid RI two-points. It was so fast that the basket was charged to "Freak" by both scorers later credited to Golombiewski.

MASS. **B F P R I. B F I**
Prevey 9 7 25 Stewart 2 0 4
McCauley 5 1 11 Shannon, W. 3 2 8
Gagnon 4 1 9 Blount 6 11 23
Misakian 3 0 6 Techoubot 2 0 1
Astromon 0 0 2 May 2 2 2
Smidell 1 0 1 Ract 3 1 7
Goldman 5 0 15 Curry 1 1 2
McGraib 3 3 0 Nixon 3 0 6
Granville 0 1 1 1 1 2
Troy 0 0 1 1 1 2

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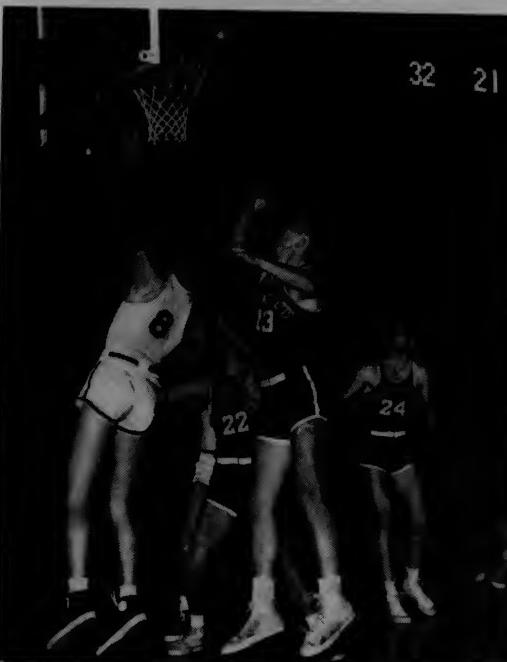
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With a 57-45 edge and seven minutes of play remaining, the Wesleyan five stalled as the Redmen pushed them back again and again in a last-ditch attempt to pull the game out of the fire. Three baskets by Bill Prevey and one by Hal Ostman narrowed the lead to 52-58, while 63" of Ostman tallied 16 points to lead the futile Redmen attack. Chief failure of the Redmen



Little Indians On Top 46-35 Over Wesleyan

Earl Lorden whipped the Double-L-Men to a 46-35 win over the Wesleyan Frosh in the preliminary contest at Middletown which saw the varsity bow to the Wesleyan Cardinals. What was a first half see-saw battle turned out to be a runaway with the Wesleyan Frosh playing very good hosts.

Hitting double figures for the first time this season was John "Snapper" Sniado, who heretofore has neglected to shoot often enough. It seems that Snapper, seeing everyone shooting but missing, decided to try his own luck and made out very successfully indeed. Closest rival to the pacemaker was John McGrath with 9 points.

A lack of tight defensive ball still appears to be the greatest trouble with the Frosh despite the Wesleyan win. Five more contests will show whether the Double-L-Men have been able to improve on their one big weakness.

Mass. Frosh **b f p Wesleyan Fr. b f p**
Loko 2 2 6 Kelleher 3 3 0
Lajoin 1 2 4 Hinman 0 0 0
Szarek 3 0 6 Techoubot 2 0 1
Astromon 0 0 2 May 2 2 2
Smidell 1 0 1 Ract 3 1 7
Daley 5 0 15 Curry 1 1 2
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Topics from the Tower

By Barb Curran

WMUA will be off the air until Mon., Feb. 13. This is in order to rebuild its microphone preamplifier.

During the past vacation, members of the staff continued to work on the equipment. They are slated to carry on this work during this week also. Major projects are concerned with installing a sixteen inch recording unit as well as utilizing the cathode ray oscilloscope which was recently received. It will be used for maintenance purposes and for circuit analysis.

It was officially announced by Wayne Langill, Station Manager, that the following appointments have become effective, as of Feb. 1, 1950:

Irv Wasserman to replace George Doyle (graduated) as Production Director; Fred Carlson to replace Bob Bates as Technical Director; Don

Mem Hall Focal For Local Yokels

by Dick Hafey

The many students on campus Memorial Hall is thought of merely as a stopping-off place before making the long journey back to the dorm or as a good spot to pick up a quick game of bridge between classes. But to one group it is a second home, for this building is the unofficial headquarters of the commuters.

Take notice of them the next time you are passing through. They can be easily distinguished by the hazy, sleepless look in their eyes. But don't jump to any false conclusions. This state is not necessarily caused from overindulgence the night before. In most cases it is caused from getting up in the wee hours of the morning in order to make that most horrible of classes—the eight o'clock.

Many Towns Represented

Most of the towns in the nearby vicinity—Hadley, Northampton, Holyoke, Westfield, Greenfield, Turners Falls, Chicopee, Belchertown, Hatfield, Springfield, and Athol—are represented. In fact, there is one hardy soul who makes a daily trip from Worcester.

Take the number of three-quarters of the cars parked in the lot in front of the physical education building every day, multiply that number by five, and the resulting number should give you a good idea of the students who commute. Better still try to cross Lincoln Avenue some night about five o'clock without risking life and limb.

Theirs is not the most pleasant of existences, especially if, on one of these cold mornings, any of them are cursed with riding in a vintage car whose owner doesn't believe in heaters. But commuting does have its bright side. The excuses of "We had a flat" or "The roads were terribly icy this morning, so we had to take it easy" are handy when one doesn't feel like attending some dull lectures.

Commuters Add Tradition

These commuters have seen fit to add another custom to those which this school possesses. When twelve o'clock noon rolls around the day before a vacation, it is the practice of most commuters to hurry to some such spot as the Idle Hour Cafe to while away the rest of the afternoon in celebration.

This custom has been gaining more and more support every year to the extent of having non-commuters join in. This should be ample warning to members of the Senate not to be surprised if one of their members who represents the commuters should come up with a bill requesting shorter but more numerous vacations.

LOST

A dark blue ladies' billfold in Goodell Library Tuesday afternoon. Contains valuable papers and money. If found please return to Alumni Office at Mem Hall.

FOUND!

A Ronson Lighter in the C Store. Owner may claim it upon proper identification by contacting Roland DeConto, 415 Knowlton.

U of M Symphony Orchestra Will Present First Concert on Feb. 12

The University of Massachusetts Symphony Orchestra will present its first concert of the season at Stockbridge Hall on February 12th at 8:30 p.m. It is one of the outstanding events in this year's University Winter Carnival. After its first concert as an orchestra last spring Harold Youngberg, music critic of the Springfield Union, had comments such as: program . . . me

These appointments will be announced at a General Meeting to be held tonight at Skinner Hall at 7:30 P.M. Membership cards will be distributed at this time. It is urged that all members and prospective members attend, as important business matters will be discussed.

Naiad Swim Ballet Next Sunday Night

Senate elections will take place next Monday, it was announced in the last meeting of the Student Senate Tues-

day. Senators have been assigned to each dorm to proctor the balloting. Each proctor will name his own times for voting and in advance so that all students who live in each residence will have ample opportunity to cast their ballots.

Dean Curtis stressed the fact that the purpose of these mid semester elections is to reinstate as well as to elect. She stated that she would like to see the members of the present Senate re-elected, since the process of grooming a new legislative body twice a year was more or less a waste of time and energy.

Married students and commuters will vote from two to three o'clock Monday afternoon at Mem Hall.

Fraternities will choose two nominees apiece this week, and the final vote will be cast on Monday night at the various house meetings.

The handout further admonishes its readers that this is—"the show of the year—don't miss". Well now, it may not be that good, but it is worth the attendance.

Forestry Club

On February 16 a round table discussion will be held, headed by three prominent growers—Steve Richardson, Gil Doty, and Dave Hayes. The place of the meeting will be announced later.

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Waiting For the Sunrise

Many concessions will be made by both sides before the day comes when a student can consider his instructors as people truly interested in his welfare, and a professor can look upon his students as something more than a bunch of guys and girls trying to give him a snow job.

The Faculty Frolic was certainly a step in the right direction.

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FOR ARROW UNIVERSITY STYLES

Staff Reporter Rifles Mails; Gets His Story, Then The Axe

The untiring servant of the people, Staff Reporter, has not been idle the past few weeks. While all you folks take the vacation recuperating from finals he has been running around crawling into mailboxes reading other people's mail.

The reason for all this activity is the fact that Valentine's Day is close at hand, and Valentine's Day means

enthusiasm from the audience, strings clean and precise, conductor makes fine impression . . . a representative community orchestra which will add much to the already rich culture of that area".

The group is composed of students from the University, Amherst, and Smith Colleges, and players from Amherst and nearby communities. The orchestra is under the direction of Ezra Schabas of the Music Faculty of the University.

The February concert offers a diversified program, with Patricia Dworski of Smith College highlighting the event in a performance of Beethoven's First Piano Concerto in C Major. The brilliant young soloist age eighteen, has been performing public since her sixth year, promises to become one of America's outstanding young artists. As the entire orchestral part of the program, the group will present Schubert's Rosamunde Overture, Mozart's Symphony No. 40 in G Minor, and Bizet's L'Arlésienne Suite No. 1.

Reservations can be made by phoning extension 351 at the University. Admission is 50 cents, tax included.

Lustig Named Mgr. Of University Band

Allen Lustig has been named general manager of the University Band. It was announced recently by the Band's Administrative Board.

Lustig, a junior, succeeds Stanley Miller who graduated this past semester.

The Band plans to give its next concert sometime in April. Rehearsals begin Tuesday, Feb. 14 at 7 o'clock in Skinner Hall, Room 119.

Quarterly Contributions

Any contributions or letters to The Quarterly should be addressed to the new Quarterly office in Room 4, Memorial Hall.

Camels for Mildness

There is absolutely no reason for this thin-ice attitude between students and their faculty; neither should there be any attempt to maintain the delicate balance that presently exists on our campus as well as many others.

Mr. Thornton is arriving on campus Tuesday afternoon, Meltzer announced, at which time he will be met by a member of the Fashion Flower Show committee and a member of the faculty at which he is to dine. Tuesday evening Thornton will present a dinner to the coed model designated as princess at the flower show festival.

Gives the Girls a Chance

"It's only fair to give all the girls a chance to meet Thornton," Meltzer stated. "It's not every day that a man gets a chance to meet the man responsible for the start of Lauren Bacall, Elizabeth Scott, Dorothy McGuire and many others."

For the men on campus, Candy Jones, productive model of the Conover Agency, will visit the campus with her husband, Harry Conover, during the weekend of the Carnival Ball. In a letter to the Carnival Committee accepting their invitation to visit the U of M, Candy stated that she would be delighted to attend, but hoped someone would be able to provide her with a pair of ski boots.

Ski Boots Size Six?

Meltzer says he is leaving it up to the fraternities to remedy that situation, although he expressed some doubt as to whether any of the fraternal houses would have a foot petite enough to supply Candy with the necessary footwear. He seemed confident that something would turn up, however.

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We met in the C-store,

My sweet turtle-dove;

When you bought your own coffee,

I knew it was love.

WRITTEN AFTER A CHAT WITH DEAN CURTIS.

I must break our date,

Alas and alack;

'Cause I've just been

To Helen back.

FROM A FRAT MAN.

We think you're swell, Dean Robert,

To you we doff our hat;

But pretty please, Dean Robert,

May we move into our frat?

TO THE FACULTY.

Violets are blue,

Roses are red,

Why don't you

DO DEAN MACHMER FROM THE FRESHMEN GIRLS.

Though your talents in the Frantics

didn't get a chance to shine,

With your histrionic talents

We thought you were divine.

TO RED BALL.

Closes to Red;

Though you may be blue,

May your boys stay off pro

And their shots all be true.

All—it was at this point in the telephone conversation during which A. Staff was relaying his hard-won information to the office that a long lean arm reached into the telephone booth and took the gay lad from us. You'll just have to write that last line yourself.

New German Club Hears Dr. Graham

The second monthly meeting of

"Germany," the new German club

on campus, was held Thursday evening, January 19, at the Old Chapel seminar room. After a few German songs, the meeting was turned over to the guest speaker of the evening, Dr. Paul G. Graham, Chairman of the German Dept. at Smith College.

Dr. Graham told some of his experiences and impressions gained through his studies in Germany and his service as a Naval Intelligence Officer in the Mediterranean Theatre during World War II, supplementing his talk with many interesting documents. Among the latter was a military personnel rating sheet, used by the German army, containing hundreds of adjectives describing personality, appearance, and aptitude—indication of the painstaking thoroughness of the German military mind.

In Europe, German ranks second

only to Russian in the number of persons speaking the tongue. In the world, German is in fourth place, Chinese being first, he stated. In closing, he gave an illustration of the pitfalls encountered, not only by American students but by Germans as well, when they tread the perilous paths of foreign language. A German official was addressing an international convention. He began, with easy assurance:

"Meine Damen und Herren!

Mesdames et messieurs!

Delegates and . . . (frantic pause) . . . delicatessans!"

"Germany" meets on the third Thursday of each month in the Old Chapel Seminar Room at 7:30 P.M. Membership is open to all students who have had one or more years of German, and may be obtained on payment of dues (fifty cents per semester) to Mr. Tibbets of the German Dept. or Acting Pres. Jim Stone '52 (Hamlin House 425).

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"The future of Israel is tied up in the Negev (desert)," he said. He pointed out that the country needs the arid wastelands of the Negev for expansion much as the U. S. needed the western plains for its growth.

Mr. Cohen also mentioned the social, economical, and political implications of the borders of Israel. He was introduced by Irv Cross, Educational Chairman, and Pres. A. Jacobs conducted the question period following the lecture.

On Wed., Feb. 15, Mr. Edward Tumaroff, Associate Director of Histadrut, and past president of the New England L.Z.O.A. (Labor Zionist Organization of America) will present a late film from Israel and will speak on Histadrut, the largest worker organization in Israel. This is a unique labor cooperative and Mr. Tumaroff has many interesting details to present.

Camels for Mildness

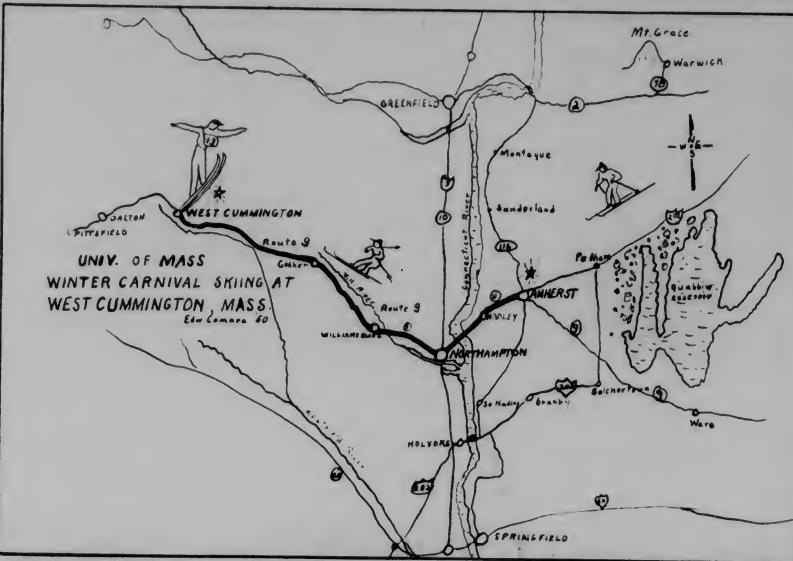
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In March, 1947, he was appointed Chief of the Policy Report Staff. He attended the Conference on International Organization at San Francisco in 1945 as a member of the U.S. delegation and was also present at the Councils of Foreign Ministers in Moscow and London in 1947. His capacity at the latter conferences was Policy Information Officer to the Secretary.

He is being brought to the U of M through the efforts of Mr. Gordon Donald of the Economics Department.

Carnival Schedule ...*Continued from page 1*

4 to 5—University Chorale broadcasts over NBC from Old Chapel.
7 to 8—Naiads present a Water Ballet, Pool, Curry S. Hicks Building.
8:30—U of M Symphony Orchestra concert under direction of Ezra Schabas, Bowker Auditorium. Fifty cent admission.

Mondy, Feb. 13

3 P.M.—Hockey game, U of M vs. AIC.
8—Whittemore and Lowe, piano team. Sponsored by Concert Association, Cage.

Tuesday, Feb. 14

8 to 9 P.M.—Flower fashion show, Bowker Auditorium.

Wednesday, Feb. 15

No events scheduled. Study, if so inclined.

Thursday, Feb. 16

2:30 to 5 P.M.—Winter track meet, U of M vs. University of Conn. Cage.
7—The Roister Doisters present a program of Inter Class plays, Bowker Auditorium.

Friday, Feb. 17

4:30 P.M.—Swimming meet, U of M vs. LaSalle, Pool, Phys. Ed. Building.
9 to 1—Winter Carnival Ball, featuring the music of Enoch Light's orchestra, and Les Elgart's orchestra. Features of the Ball will be the crowning of the Winter Carnival queen and the "Storm of Colors" impressive decoration scheme.

Saturday, Feb. 18

9 to 12 A.M.—Ski trials, West Cummington.
1 to 5—Intercollegiate Ski Meet under the supervision of the Ski Club at West Cummington, Mass.
2:30—Hockey game, U of M vs. Williams, Hockey rink.
8:30—Basketball game, U of M vs. Vermont, Cage.
9 to 12—Intercollegiate round robins, with houses decorated around the Carnival Motif. Judging of the decorations.

Sunday, Feb. 19

11 to 4—Intercollegiate Ski meet at Mt. Grace, Warwick.
3—Ice Birds Exhibition at the College Pond.

'Mademoiselle' Has Fiction Contest

Women undergraduates have a chance to win up to \$500 in prizes in 'Mademoiselle's' College Fiction Contest. It was announced this week by the magazine.

Only women undergraduates are eligible to submit stories for this contest which closes April 15, 1950. The entries should be between 3,000 to 5,000 words in length, double spaced, and bear the contestant's name, home address, college address, and college year.

All manuscripts should be sent to College Fiction Contest, *Mademoiselle*, 122 East 42nd St., New York 17, N. Y.

President Van Meter Announces Plan For Campus Department of Health

President Ralph Van Meter this week announced that plans are now being completed for the establishment of a University Department of Health, a new adjunct whose major advantage is to provide a central authority for the efficient administration of all university health problems.

Dr. Van Meter stated that he expects the new department to be officially established within the next few weeks. Its officers will be chosen from members of the faculty.

Dr. Leon A. Bradley, head of the Department of Bacteriology and Public Health, and Dr. Ernest Radcliffe, University Physician, prepared the outline for the department at the request of President Van Meter. In interviews with the Collegian, both of the planners emphasized that the main feature of the department will be its work in correlating all health activities and the establishment of a responsible executive office.

At present the diverse problems of health and sanitation are in the hands of a faculty committee, which has found its job increasingly difficult as the university has grown larger. Drs. Bradley and Radcliffe also pointed out that some of the duties of the committee members require a considerable amount of time and special knowledge. Lack of either or both of these elements has prevented the efficient administration of the health service which is the aim of the new department. Though the job still re-

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Carnival Ball Will Be Tomorrow Night In Cage

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Carnival Judges

BRIK TONE

HARRY CONOVER



Bill Prevey (24) is shown leaping for a shot in the game with Coast Guard which the Redmen won 59-44. This shot resulted in 2 of the 23 points which Prevey garnered as high scorer of the evening. Looking on is Captain Ray Gagnon and other members of Coast Guard and Redmen teams.

—Photo by Tague



Bill Prevey (24) is shown leaping for a shot in the game with Coast Guard which the blaze which destroyed much of the roof area of the building last week. The building will be abandoned permanently according to Housing Officer Randolph, and students evicted have been placed in other dormitories.



NAIADS—Above are the Naiads, who performed in a "Winter Carnival Water Ballet" last Sunday night. Making like water-nymphs before an overflow crowd, the Naiads scored an aquatic as well as artistic success with their precision swimming routines.

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Don't Resort to Demon Rum; Drown Your Sorrows At the Coed Swim - Splash Away Those Final Exam Blues

by Penny Tickels

Do you feel like cooling off? Has this past semester gotten you down? Yes . . . Well, if you haven't reached bottom yet (but would like to, sans drowning, and purely out of curiosity) here's a suggestion straight from a would-be U of M Boosters' Club . . . And could we use some boosting, especially in those final grades, wow!

Now y'all know where the swimming pool is, and if you don't, there's nothing like getting lost trying to find it. So come next Tuesday, your homework for the Monday before all done, pack up your troubles in o . . . oops! I mean pack up your bathing cap and ear plugs and get to the pool by 7:30 to participate in the coed free swim which has been a weekly feature since the last few dragging weeks of first semester.

Regulations in Fashion

Swimmers are provided with regulation bathing suits, and rules are really simple. Just remember to chuck all jewelry—pawning it would be a super idea—and also all hair pins before taking that first refreshing dive. It took all of four days of elbow grease to remove the rust stains at the end of the last swimming season!

So come one, come all to those weekly coed swims. Everyone from vet's wives to Joe and Josephine College is invited. Attendants at the swim, in case anyone should decide to conveniently drown out of the whole picture, are either Joe Rogers, his assistant Ben Merritt, or Mrs. Hammond. So even if you can't float, come down anyway, and give them the thrill of saving your life.

New Senators In; Few Attend Last Meeting of Senates

The last meeting of the fall semester Student Senate took place last Tuesday night at 7:00 p.m. at Old Chapel Auditorium.

President Halsey Allen called the session to order, and Secretary Dot Fortin took the roll of the sparsely attended old senate. President Allen then adjourned the 1949 group and Chief Justice Bud Vigneau inaugurated the New Senate which was elected Monday. After they were sworn in, the new group took the seats that will hold for the coming semester.

Beryl Stern, acting secretary, took the roll, and Harold Markarian, Vice President of the last senate, presided over the new group.

Mr. Markarian suggested that nominations be made for the officers of the Senate, and called on Election Chairman Phil Gilmore to explain the procedures.

Following Mr. Gilmore's talk, the new senate commenced to make nominations which will be balloted upon next week.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:00.

Campus Chest Dance

One of the final programs to be sponsored by this year's campus chest committee is an informal dance to be held in Drill Hall next Tuesday evening from 8 o'clock to 11 o'clock. Since this is the night before a full-day holiday, the curfew for campus codes is 12:00.

Admission to the dance will be by a special donation of thirty cents to be paid at the door. Record music will be featured.

As in other previous campus chest functions, the money collected at the dance will be put in the general treasury of the committee fund for various needy organizations.

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Two Orchestras Will Provide Continuous Dancing At Ball

Famous 'Storm of Colors' To Be Used In Decoration

The climatic event of Winter Carnival week, the 1950 Carnival Ball, will be held tomorrow night with several new touches. Dancing will take place from 9-1 in the Cage, to the continuous music of Enoch Light and his orchestra and Lee Elgart and his orchestra.

The first new touch is to be found in the setting. This is the first campus dance to be held in the Cage, and Carnival chairman Fran Lucier has announced that this year there will be more dancing space than ever before at a major formal.

Symphony Orch. Warmly Received At 1950 Debut

The University of Massachusetts Symphony Orchestra presented the first concert of its current season Sunday evening at Stockbridge Hall before more than 600 persons. It was held in connection with the Winter Carnival Program.

Patricia Dworski of Smith College, accorded good advance publicity on these pages last week, highlighted the evening's performance as she handled Beethoven's *First Piano Concerto* in C Major with a unique sincerity and artfulness.

Mozart Symphony

Also achieving prominence on the program was the orchestra's interpretation of Mozart's *Symphony No. 40 in G Minor*. The group completed the entire orchestral section of the performance with Schubert's *Rosamund Overture*, and Bizet's *L'Arlésienne Suite No. 1*.

The organization, under the direction of Ezra Schabas of the Music Department of the University, is composed of students from the University, Amherst, and Smith Colleges, and players from Amherst and nearby communities.

Fernald Club

On Tuesday, Feb. 21 at 7:00 p.m., in room K Fernald Hall, the Fernald Entomology Club will hear Tom Farr, a graduate in entomology, speak on "Insect Collecting in Guatemala". Mr. Farr is a graduate of Michigan State College and has had extensive experience in Guatemala. At present he is working for his doctorate here at the University.

STATESMAN

There will be a meeting of the D.C.A. STATESMAN staff in Hamlin 406 at 7:30 tonight. All those who have signed an intention to work on the paper are requested to attend. Also any former STATESMAN reporters who have not been approached are urged to make every effort to be present. Alumni in all sections of the United States have signed interest in the forthcoming issue. The editor hopes to be able to publish in the next few weeks.

UM Concert Band Seeks Members

Harassed Student in Booklines Finds New System For Veterans Not All It's Cracked Up To Be

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International Club

The students from India will be hosts on an exhibition of the famous Indian Rope Trick, Snake Charming and Thought Reading, on Feb. 21 at 7:30 P.M. in Skinner Auditorium.

The evening's main feature will be some movie pictures of India.

The International Club is sponsoring this show in accordance with its policy of presenting one country a month to the faculty and students.

Genuine Indian refreshments will be served following the meeting.

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Mon. thru Fri. 2:00-6:30-8:30
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SPORTS



Redmen Belt Coast Guard, 59-44; Drop Springfield Tilt, 48-38 Prevey Leads UM Basketeers Out Of Four Game Slump

Smashing their way out of a four game losing streak, the Redmen bounded back and trimmed a Coast Guard Academy Five 59-44. A half-time score of 23-16 found the teams evenly matched for the first 20 minutes.

Bottling up high scorer Bill Prevey for the first two quarters, the Coast Guardsmen were able to hold their own against a determined and sure Redmen quintet, and as the second half started, the visitors were able to come from behind in the first three minutes and twice tie up the score, the second time at 26-all.

With the CG loosening its defense, which had tied two men on Prevey all through the game to that point, the Massmen were able to feed Big Bill and he tallied 15 points in the last half to give him a game total of 23 and a season total of 210 through this contest. Behind him in the scoring department for the tilt were Ray Gagnon with 15 and Ed McCauley with 12.

A slow first half, with loose ball handling and a not too sparkling offensive thrust, kept the Balmen from waltzing away with the game by a much higher margin.

The game marked the return of McCauley and Gagnon to the high scoring department from whence they had slipped following the UConn contest.

Driving in hard and making the most of their opportunities made the difference in the second half as the Redmen were able to pull ahead of the Guardsmen after pulling away from the 26-26 tie. The Redmen hit 15 for 26 from the foul line to the Coast Guard's 6 for 20, outscoring them by three baskets from the floor. This brings the Redmen to a 50.1 game average as against a 49.9 score against them.

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Springfield Game

Superior height and willingness to take advantage of its opportunities during the opening half paved the way for the Springfield Gymnasts 48-38 win over the Redmen last Saturday night at Springfield. More than 2000 fans witnessed the fray that saw the Ballmen match the winners point for point in the second half, after trailing 24-14 at intermission. A combination of the Redmen's ragged play and Capt. Tim Barker's unerring set shooting were responsible for the deficit the Redmen were unable to make up after the rest period.

Barber and Gagnon, the rival captains, kept the respective teams in the running during much of the first period. Springfield's tight zone was especially troublesome to the Redmen and their own inability to control the boards aided in their downfall.

After trailing 24-14 at the rest period, the Maroon and White roared back to battle the Gymnasts on even terms throughout the remainder of the game. With Gagnon and McCauley leading the attack, the Redmen closed the Springfield advantage to a scant five points with six minutes to play. Barrett and Cox checked in with timely hoops at this

time with 15 and "Snapper" Snidio was one behind with 14.

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Score at halftime: Springfield 24, Massachusetts 14.

Referee: McDonough; umpire: Roberts.

Prevey, Gagnon on Way To UM Scoring Records

With three contests remaining, Bill Prevey seems certain to head the Redmen scoring parade. Ray Gagnon's 33 points in the last two games should enable him to break his '48-'49 scoring mark. Ed McCauley tallied 20 points to round out the Redmen big "3" scorers. Hal Ostman maintained fourth place.

The Double-L-Men quickly had the scoreboard reading 7-0 on baskets by Lojko and LaFond. Shrido and Akerson and their sweep of the 35-pound weight with a toss of 42 1/4".

The Little Indians, trying to make it three straight by whipping the highly touted freshman Springfield quintet, broke fast but couldn't keep up with the Comets and ended up on the short end of a 62-50 score.

The Double-L-Men quickly had the Little Indians moved the score to 12-3 on Snidio's foul shot and baskets by Akerson and Shrido which were centered around a Springfield foul shot. The lead was quickly diminished however and at quarter time the score was 12-12. From that point it was Springfield all the way. Top scorer of the game was Schultz of Springfield with 18.

"Sidelights"

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Holy Cross Tips Massmen 63-44 Carter Outstanding In Defeat

Lordenmen Gain 51-46 Win Over Coast Guard

The Little Indians followed up their 46-35 upset win over Wesleyan by whipping the Coast Guard fresh 51-46 in a close hard fought contest played at the cage.

The Double-L-Men, due mostly to Lojko's eleven points, and Akerson's seven, led 27-20 at the half but the Guardsmen moved to within one point by the end of the third quarter, 39-38. The L-Men then outscored the Mitchmen by four points 12-8, in the last canto to go away with the verdict. Top scorer for UM in the game was Lojko with 17 points and runner up was Akerson with 12.

"Sidelights"

"Snapper" Snidio, top scorer in the Wesleyan contest, came to life in the pressure of the last half when he hit for all of his eight points.

It seemed everyone was ambitious and wanted to get in to the scoring column for no less than 10 players accounted for the little Indians scoring.

The game was marked by eighteen foul calls by the officials and yet no one was thrown out, although five players had only one more to go.

Lojko was only one point behind Don Stowe who vaulted 10'6" and E. Molitor who led the Redmen in their sweep of the 35-pound weight with a toss of 42 1/4".

For the first time this year, in the cage, the little Indians left the floor to the sound of applause, and that from a fairly large contingent for so early in the evening.

UM FROSH b f p CG FR. b f p
Lojko 6 5 15 Benson 2 2 6
Szurek 0 0 0 Shultz 4 1 9
Akerson 1 1 2 Shridio 1 0 2
Ostman 3 2 6 Nill 3 1 7
Snidio 2 2 5 Shrido 3 2 18
Lasko 0 0 0 Marhsig 1 0 1
Boutillier 1 1 3 Lipson 0 0 0
Akerson 4 2 10 Nill 7 4 18
Harlow 1 1 1 Warner 0 0 0
Troy 1 1 3
Graville 0 0 1
McGrath 1 2 4
Sheffler 0 0 0

As usual the relay proved to be one of the top events, and the Redmen triumph made it even more so. Al Carter ran an number one man and brought the baton home fast, unfortunately spill hurting the lead and third man Don Costello took over. Though hard-pressed, Costello stayed in front to give anchorman Bob Silver a lead and Rapid Riley was not to be caught.

Other Massachusetts firsts went to Don Stowe who vaulted 10'6" and E. Molitor who led the Redmen in their sweep of the 35-pound weight with a toss of 42 1/4".

The Holy Cross meet was the first of three dual meets at the Cage. The U. of Connecticut will be here today followed by Northeastern next week.

The appearance of the UConn will bring back memories of a meet held two years ago in which Worcester Tech also competed. That day the Redmen came from behind, won the relay, and went on to gain a one point triumph with runner-up Connecticut one point up on the Techmen.

Shot put won by McManus (HC) 2. Feerman (S) 2. Foley (HC) distance 43' 8 1/2". Pole Vault—won by Stowe (M) 2. Nieman (M) 3. Dunn (HC) height 10'6".

Discus—won by Carter (M) 2. Greenburg (M) 3. Wilson (HC) Time 4.9 sec. 35 yard dash—won by Carter (M) 2. Greenburg (M) 3. Finn (HC) Time 4.5 sec.

Mile—Tie for first Feeney-Alvern (HC) Hopkins (M) Time 4.51 min. 440—won by Kelley (HC) 2. McEvitt (HC) 3. Poitras (M) Time 54.4.

35 lb. weight—won by Molitor (M) 1. Feerman (M) 3. McGrath (M) distance 11'1".

High Jump—won by Kelley (HC) 2. Tolle (M) Lee (M) tie—height 5' 10".

2 Mile—Tie McEvitt-Gannon (HC) Phineas (M) Time 10'34.4.

800—won by Ahern (HC) 2. McEvitt (HC) 3. Feener (HC) Time 2:56.

Broad Jump—won by Finn (HC) 2. Cottello (M) 3. Sweeney (HC) distance 18' 11 1/2". Relay—won by Mass. (Carter, Sotile, Cottello, Silver) Time 1:19.2.

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Friday, February 24
PERFORMANCE, Inter Class Plays, Bowker Auditorium, 7:00
MEETING, IZFA Officers Meeting, Hillel House, 6:00
REHEARSAL, Chowder & Marching Society, Stockbridge, Room 114, 7:00
REHEARSAL, Music Dept., Skinner Hall, Room 119, 7:00
MEETING, International Club, India Skinner Auditorium, 7:30
REHEARSAL, Varieties, Chapel, Room B, 7:00
MEETING, Intervarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15
Friday, February 17
DANCE, Winter Carnival Ball, Physical Education Building, 9:00
Saturday, February 18
DANCES, Nine College Square Dance, Amherst College Gymnasium, 8:00
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Thursday, February 23
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REHEARSAL, Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30
MEETING, Lutheran Club, Chapel, Room C, 7:30
MEETING, Newman Club, Chapel Auditorium, 7:15
REHEARSAL, Symphony, Skinner Hall, Room 119, 7:30
MEETING, International Relations Club, Chapel, Room C, 7:00
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Tuesday, February 21
MEETING, Senate, Chapel Auditorium, 7:00
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MEETING, Index Staff, Chapel, Room C, 6:45
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MEETING, Index Staff, Chapel, Room C, 6:45
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USED BOOKSTORE

In the Letters to the Editor column this week is to be found a very interesting comment on the used book situation on this campus. The point is well taken that something should be done about this mass buying up of used books for only a fraction of their original cost. It is unfair not only to the students who are selling the books, but to the underclassmen who could buy these same texts for a higher price than the book company will pay, and yet a rate reduced from that of new texts. And it is a situation that has existed, apparently unnoticed, for some time.

On a campus this size, there is an enormous call for used textbooks at the beginning of every semester. The standard price paid for these books is two-thirds of their original cost . . . and those who are rather foolishly parting with their books at this time are getting a much lower price than two-thirds.

Many other colleges and universities have long since instituted a plan to take care of this problem . . . a plan which has met with great success. The addition of a Used Textbook Store to this campus would, we feel as successful here as it has proved to be at other schools. We are behind the times in not having established such a store before this.

A Used Textbook Store would aid the present situation in two ways. First, it would provide with ready cash those students who find it financially a necessity to sell their books during the year. And secondly, it would make these books available at reduced rates to those who find the expense of new texts too great.

CONCERT BAND

Elsewhere in this issue is printed an interview with the manager of the University Concert Band. In it he deplores the lack of interest which has been shown in the organization this year.

That the U of M should be lacking in this, one of the more important extra-curricular activities, is a sad commentary on our school. We feel it is a simple matter of school spirit.

School spirit—That's something we have not seen either too often or too sustained, on this campus. Yes, we have witnessed those few demonstrations at Alumni Field or the Cage when the Redmen were performing. But School Spirit means more than noise at a basketball game, more even than beautiful snow sculptures, albeit they are commendable. School spirit means pride. It means a sincere interest in everything concerned with the University. And it means a strong desire to participate in extra-curricular activities.

Let's get at it musicians! The University of Maine, (enrollment 2800) has a concert band which is three times the size of ours. Surely we can do better than that.

WINTER CARNIVAL

At this writing we are much relieved on the Winter Carnival situation. Great blobs of white stuff are falling softly outside, silently insuring successful snow sculpture. And while we are in the Gerard Manley Hopkins mood let us loudly laud the nymph-like Naiads, the nymph-like Naiads loudly laud for their adequate aquatic acrobatics performed precisely and with poise. Now it seems that we are straining to salute these slender swimmers; suffice to say standing-room-only signs signified success.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

DR. PORTER

February 10, 1950

USED BOOKS

Dear Sir,

I should like to call your attention to the write-up given to the talk given by Dr. Lucius Porter in your last issue. I was in attendance at this tea and I feel that the content of his talk was grossly misconstrued by the person who reported the event. Your reporter would have the reader believe that Dr. Porter reported another Poland or "Yugoslavia of the Far-East." Quite to the contrary, Dr. Porter emphasized the fact that the reforms initiated by the relatively small group of Marxist reformers have gained wide approval and acceptance.

In no manner or measure stressed that the people's government had gained wide acceptance as a political institution but called attention to the popularity of its reforms! He particularly gave illustration from his own experiences that there were very few actual members of the Communist Party in China. No matter which way one reads the Collegian account, in view of public opinion as it is, one would get the idea that we have 400,000,000 Chinese who are avid Communists to worry about. This is far from the truth!

Sincerely yours,
Richard A. Andrews '51

Kaleidoscope

by Ed Craft

The American Educational System, like the weather, is much talked about and little acted upon. Fortunately, so long as there is talk about it, there is hope for it. Any discussion of the system reminds us of a Town Meeting discussion of Capitalism in which Norman Thomas condemned the profit motive in the following words, "The acquisitive society has been the fall of fellowship and of true freedom. It tends to prostitute the souls of men through the worship of the bitch-goddess, Success. And that worship is death to the qualities which most enoble men."

The attitude adopted by Mr. Thomas toward the system of capitalism runs exactly parallel to the one which we should adopt toward our own educational system—and why not, the school system most positively reflects the attitude of American capitalism, for it was conceived to produce a vast body of mediocre implements to that economic system. Remarkably enough, an individual intruded upon the scene with a diabolical plan which most appealed the gods (and goddesses) of his time. That individual was John Dewey, who, in spite of his brilliance in the field of philosophy, was so immensely short-sighted in recognizing the damage to be accrued by an educational system geared for the mind of the masses that he, and his system, should be damned to the molten lake in chaos for all eternity.

Granted further, that this would not help the students who still lack the foresight to recognize the future value of their texts, and feel a dollar in the hand is worth a text in the bookcase; but it should do more to help the financially burdened parents and the self or partially self-supporting student than having someone offer him ten or twenty percent of the original cost.

Sincerely,
Donald H. Guild '50
Francis A. Depuy '50

INJURED FROSH

February 9, 1950

Dear Editor:

It may only be a misprint but please advise Messrs. Swanson '51 and MacLeod '52 that although they're upperclassmen they need not publicly insult the freshman class of this university. With the alleviation of the housing conditions I believe almost all of the Frosh have already come out of the ground. I also believe those that are left, if they do come out in the spring, will not make conditions any worse than they are at present.

In the future, please leave the ruts to the upperclassmen; we Frosh are in enough of them already.

Sincerely,
Ralph Levitt '53
Alan L. Shuman '53
Harry B. Lit '53

a field of his choice—here, discipline is introduced but not to a degree where it should hamper a mind capable of original thought—specialization is urged in this period, but is not insisted upon. The third and final stage is that of "generalization" during which, once again, emphasis is laid upon the use of imagination. In the last period, discipline in logical reasoning is insisted upon, but absolute freedom of thought is equally required.

Whitehead carefully distinguishes between knowledge, and wisdom which is the use of knowledge. He insists on the excitation of pleasure through development of interest, and warns against the dry imposition of barren or disciplined knowledge. Whitehead drives to the very heart of the learning process when he observes, "In a sense, knowledge shrinks as wisdom grows; for details are swallowed up in principles." That observation should not be construed as an "arful dodge" for aspiring ignoramuses.

We must, in conclusion, ask ourselves whether a system of education could be founded upon the logic of Whitehead. Our answer would be "yes," but the process would necessarily be evolutionary rather than revolutionary—exactly how it would be done, we have not the space to discuss at this time. We shall only observe that in order to implement such a program, we should have to stop starving and beating teachers in order to attract the most inspiring kind of instructor into the field. Having once obtained the most desirable of individuals to do the instructing, the entire system should be renovated so as to allow for a maximum of freedom for teachers and students alike. As long as we are intelligent enough to realize that the present system is faulty, we are sufficiently intelligent to work out a cure—we don't have to wait for a second coming of Christ.

As a basis for inquiry into the field of education, let us use Alfred North Whitehead's, *The Aims of Education*, for we must start somewhere, and Whitehead's vast experience renders him considerable authority.

Whitehead recognizes the mind as a growing organism, and from that basic assumption he concludes that the mind develops in three, loosely defined stages during the period of education—the romantic stage (up to thirteen-fourteen years of age), the stage of precision (fourteen—eighteen), and the stage of generalization (eighteen—twenty-two). In the "romantic" stage, the chief aim of the educator should be to excite the imagination of the pupil and to provide a general and liberal introduction to all fields of human endeavor (in this stage, little emphasis is placed on disciplined thinking). The stage of "precision" should provide the student with introductory precisionness in

Collegian Profile No. 35

by Barbara Flaherty

Carni Chairman ...

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Orders for rings for the class of 1951 may be entered starting February 20, in Mem Hall on Monday through Thursday from 3:00-4:30 P.M., announced Don Costello, president of the Snow Sculpture Committee.

Last year "Bobbie" was chairman of the Snow Sculpture Committee. She has been chairman of the Inter-sorority Sing and Declamation contest, a House Counselor and is a member of Iota Sigma Pi.

Born in Springfield
Miss Boas is a native of Massachusetts—in fact, her birthplace was Springfield. Her family later moved to South Hadley and then to Norton, the home of Wheaton College. It was at The House in the Pines in Norton that she received her secondary education. In 1940, she was awarded her A.B. from Radcliffe College where she majored in chemistry. The distinction between an A.B. and a B.S. from Radcliffe at that time was based upon the study of Latin; the A.B. given to science majors signified that they had studied Latin and therefore could lay some claim to a classical education. In the next two years, Miss Boas worked for her M.A. at the same college. She entered Cornell University in '46, this time majoring in history of science. Surprisingly enough, Mr. Carnes, another new member of the history department, went to Cornell at the same time. Last spring Miss Boas received her Ph.D. from Cornell and in the fall accepted her present position at the U. of M.

Served with Army
Not all of Miss Boas' experience comes through books. During the war years from '42 to '44, she served in the Army Signal Corps and for the next two years worked in the Radiation Laboratory at M.I.T.

This fine background thoroughly qualifies Miss Boas to teach the new history of science course she is of

wholeheartedly with other members of the history department in improving the courses offered. In addition to Miss Boas' contribution, this past year has seen the addition of History 5 and 6 and also ancient history. With more profs like Miss Boas, further improvements may be anticipated.

DR. BOAS

story of scientific ideas and stresses the relationship of science to society—a realization of the fact that science is an inextricable element of modern civilization. In the institution of this subject, Miss Boas believes the university proves itself a progressive organization: Harvard, Cornell, the University of Wisconsin, and a few other colleges are the only ones realizing the futility of attempting to teach the scientific method to a liberal arts student who regards chemistry as a year wasted or history to a science major who barely skims through.

Though she has been here only a short time, Miss Boas has joined

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Stockbridge Notes

Student Council Notes
At the meeting of February 8, a committee was appointed to look into the matter of class rings. In view of the fact that the class had reacted unfavorably to prices quoted, this committee is to endeavor to secure better prices.

Another committee was appointed at this time to contact and engage speakers for convocation, and to arrange for other programs of student interest.

Charles Lane was nominated to fill the vacancy left by Joan Hartley, class secretary, who has transferred to the four-year course.

Midnight Rescuers
One night this week, three Stockbridge men—poultry majors incidentally—performed an act of heroism which probably saved the springs and shock absorbers of many cars.

At 11:45 p.m. Sam Westcott, Elliott Westcott, and Howie Gold were walking away from Stockbridge Hall in the direction of the C-Store, when they noticed a deep trench across the road near the trailer camp. It seems that a water main had broken and washed out the narrow earth strip that crosses the road at that particular spot. When the boys discovered it, the hole had washed to a depth of three feet.

Immediately after they reported the damage, the road was blocked off. Our thanks to these gentlemen for their alertness.

Poultry Club
At a meeting held on Wednesday, February 8, the Club elected officers for the new year, as follows: President, Ralph Kieler; Vice-President, David Eicher; Treasurer, Roger Pihl; Secretary, Betty Makela; Sergeant-at-Arms, Paul Kivikoski; and Assistant Secretary, Eleanor Cutler.

Following the elections, the group heard, as guest speaker, Walter Wood,

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LITTLE WILLIE
LEAD, KINDLY LIGHT

Said Willie one evening, "I'm off to the life."

To gather some dope on an African tribe."

And out from gay Hamlin that true student sped.

With the Stygian black of the campus ahead.

Poor Will, all enthused o'er his studious mission,

Stepped into a puddle that soaked his ignition.

While passing by Draper he nearly lost an upper,

As he cross-blocked a co-ed returning from supper.

He bravely pushed on in his best stalking pose.

Tripped over the curbing and fractured his nose.

His eyes searched in terror for landmarks to lead him,

As various characters trampled and knew him.

And there on the roadway he saw a white hand.

Which he crawled along painfully, hand-over-hand.

The candy's for Willie—He's doing real fine.

Visiting hours are seven to nine.

Thomas and Mitchell.

Hockey Team of Stockbridge School Has Record of Two Wins, Two Losses

Though handicapped by lack of Aggies dominated the play throughout the game, but were unable to find the range as the Deerfield goalies played a great game in the nets. The Greenies had but six shots at the Stockbridge nets, but capitalized on three of them. The Stockbridge scoring occurred on goals by Jim Hanson of Framingham and Roger Bryant of Needham. Assists were given to Thomas and Mitchell.

Aggies 5 - Williston 1

The first game of the year was played against Williston, and was won by the Aggies, 5-1. The game was played in a driving snow storm, and on poor ice, otherwise, the score would have been much greater, since the Aggies had much the better team.

Williston had but three shots at the Blue and White nets, as the Stockbridge defensemen played brilliantly. Frank Wright of Arlington turned in a hat trick, the Cummings brothers accounted for two goals and an assist, and George Sullivan had one assist, as the winners romped.

In the second game of the year, the Aggies grabbed their second win as they defeated a strong Mount Hermon team 2-1, in a well played game.

Mount Hermon had previously won the Hamilton College winter tournament at Clinton, New York. George Sullivan came through with a great game, scoring twice, once on a solo. Mitchell assisted on the other goal.

Senate Elections . . .

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Thelma Litsky and Barbara Lewis, Sororities; Bill Less, Bruce Wogan, Fraternities; Bill Hafey, Thadious Oholo, Fred Davis, Fran Lucier, and Nelson Maynard, Married Men, and Phil Gilmore, Commonwealth Circle.

who talked on "The Advantages of Large Chicken Houses."

All poultry majors are urged to get behind the club and give it their wholehearted support.

Deerfield 3 - Aggies 2

The Aggies suffered their first loss since the war as they bowed to an excellent Deerfield Academy team, 3-2.

In the toughest game that Deerfield has had this year, they were forced to break a 2-2 deadlock in the last 8 seconds of play to gain the win. The

The Stockbridge team is composed of Francis Galvin, Lew and Charles Cummings, Red Sullivan, Roger Bryant, Fred Thomas (Capt.), Jim Hanson, Bill Hafey, Thadious Oholo, Fred Davis, Fran Lucier, and Nelson Maynard, Married Men, and Phil Gilmore, Commonwealth Circle.

President Ralph Van Meter.

Some 1400 people, probably the largest number ever to attend a U of M dance, looked on as the blond, blue-eyed queen received the golden crown from

Edward J. Cronin, Massachusetts Secretary of State, assisted at the crowning. Candy Jones, wife of Harry Conover and famed Conover model, presented the queen with the Carnival Cup, an inscribed trophy which she will retain until carnival time next year. Miss Konopka also received a bouquet of red roses, presented by Roly Rogers, head of the Rogers Model Agency, Boston.

Her other gifts were a silver bracelet from the carnival committee; a Persian bracelet made by student Hormoz Broumand; and a jewelry case from the Philip Morris Co.

The quartet of judges which chose the queen and the five members of her court included Miss Jones, Mr. Cronin, Mr. Rogers, and Brik Ton, the leading model of the Rogers Agency.

Members of the court were Vickie Milandri, '52; Dorothy Stiles, '52; Barbara Bowman, '52; Roma Weser and Barbara Burchsted, both from campus.

Immediately following the coronation ceremony, which took place at 7:30, the queen and her court were seated on the Ski Boot throne set to near the southeast corner of the basket hall floor. There they posed amid a battery of floodlights while photo-grapher Ira Barrett ground out movie film to be used in the campus epic, "Candid UM".

This dance, the only one ever held

in the Cage, had a striking setting,

for most of the evening, except for the twenty minutes required for the crowning, the immense building was in darkness, save for the pattern of thousands of green and pink reflections flashing from the huge crystal spheres suspended above the floor.

Two bands, those of Enoch Light

and Less Elgart alternated to provide continuous music, all of it in a dance style.

The new queen is not a newcomer

to the royalty . . . she was the

1949 Hort Show Queen, and a runner

up for Colonel honors at the last Military Ball . . . her escort for the evening was Al Whorf, '52 . . . together

with members of the carnival commit-

tee, the queen appeared on the Herb

Lewis TV show over WBZ last Mon-

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"Ham 'n Cheesecake" in Rehearsal; To Depict 60 Years of Show Business

Ham 'n Cheesecake, the dancing-acting-musical revue that makes up Campus Varieties of 1950 will be presented on campus March 23, 24, 25, at Bowker Auditorium. Co-directed by Laura Levine and Gini Leccese, the show boasts of a cast of over seventy, plus a production staff of many

The show goes into rehearsal this week. Divided into five main eras, the revue attempts to highlight the spirit, fads and stars of Broadway in the Gay Nineties, the Roaring Twenties, the Thirties, the War years, and the Post war years.

Floradora Girls

The show opens with the Floradora Girls in the old Eva Tanguay favorite "I Don't Care". Jackie Cohen stars in that well-known tear-jerker, "Take Back Your Gold". An old fashioned mellerdrama "The Lighthouse Keeper's Daughter" features the team of Ed Jazimsky, Herb Hoden, and Hank Shensky, with Al Hixon. It's got Sophie Tucker, too, the last of the that Thelma Litsky. The Gay Nineties will be topped off with an abbreviated musical show, with the old Gallagher and Shean (alias French and Sawyer) routine.

William Less Is Elected President Of New Senate

By GIN LECCOSE

A new hope has developed in the once proud Senate, since steadily degenerated into practically a campus nonentity. With the advent of a new semester, the Senate is given another chance to regain the power it held when first assembled as a true governing body over the protests of a certain few who wished it to remain an honorary club for the privileged.

The new officers: William Less, president; Phil Gilmore, vice president; Beryl Stein, secretary; and Arnold Porges, treasurer; have assumed the shoulders the responsibility of redeeming the Senate from the floundering of last semester, when the only things of value accomplished was the adoption of the joint administration-student infirmary commission through the work of Thelma Litsky, the regular election work, and the start of an all-important Curriculum Committee project.

Granted, the Senate is new, it has an exceptionally fine record. Their work has helped from the magnitude of preparing a new, more workable constitution to the publication of a Daily News Bulletin of all the day's events, down to the smallest bit of detail given in making the overcrowded dorms more comfortable—and most of this work, by the way, was not dragged through the Senate like a dead carcass for all to smell, but was done by committees—ACTIVE committees, not the type found last semester.

Granted, the Senate is new, it has a great deal to learn. However, it could do worse than follow the example of those who preceded them. At any rate, I hereby set myself up as a pocket-size Westbrook Pegler. This semester, the Senate may do right. They may go on to new heights. Continued on page 8

MARKS!
Grades will be given out to:
Seniors and Frosh, 9-12 & 1-3
Monday, February 27.
Juniors and Sophs, same times
on Tuesday, February 28.
These grades will be available
at Mem Hall.

Condition Exams are to be given
Saturday, March 4. The time and
place will be announced next week.

Last semester's Senate was a den of bickering, caterwauling dead heads on the whole, whose only contribution was relieving the coal consumption of O.C. by their excessively hot air.

What a difference from the Senate of last year when such leaders as Bob Leavitt, Clark Kendall, Phyllis

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Drawing Room Comedy

From the Castles to the

Jazz bugs will highlight the Thirties,

starring the Beauvais, Mary Lowry

and Bob Boland. In conjunction with

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Theta Chi, Pi Phi Creations Win Top Sculpture Honors

Judging of the traditional snow sculptures featured annually during Winter Carnival Week was held on Sunday, February 19. Theta Chi was awarded top honors in the men's division, with Alpha Epsilon Phi in second place and Alpha Gamma Rho third in standing. Honorable mention went to Phi Sigma Kappa and Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Pi Beta Phi attained first place in the women's division; Sigma Kappa and Kappa Kappa Gamma second and third, respectively.

Theta Chi Winner

The sculpture erected by Theta Chi, entitled "Song of King Winter", showed the king himself seated on a throne at the top of a curving staircase. Below him, by a pool of bubbling water, was a harpist with hands moving across the strings of the harp, near the opening of a cave filled with stalactites.

Pi Beta Phi Winner

The sculpture erected by Pi Beta Phi, depicting Cinderella descending a curved staircase, her slipper left lying several steps behind her. A clock in the background showed but a few minutes left before the witching hour of mid-night.

Judges

Judges for the contest were Randolph Johnson, sculpturing instructor at the University of Massachusetts, and Melvin Jules and George Cohen, Smith College faculty members. Bill Walsh was chairman of the snow sculpturing contest.



Theta Chi's winning snow sculpture, entitled "Song of King Winter", is pictured Sunday as thousands of visitors and students admired its artistic lines. The judging was divided between afternoon and evening, with special attention given to lighting during the second phase. Tony Manganaro '50, is given credit by his brothers for designing the display.

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CARNIVAL BOUQUET

An orchid, better yet a whole bouquet of them, to the Winter Carnival Committee for their fine job on this year's Carnival Week. Chairman Barbara Kinghorn and her underlings deserve all kinds of praise for the smooth planning and operation exhibited in the 1950 Winter Carnival. Even the weatherman obliged (a little late, but still in time), and Carnival Week at the University was an outstanding success.

A special bouquet to Dave Meltzer, Carnival Publicity chairman, for putting the University of Massachusetts on the front pages of so many New England newspapers, and for providing the Carnival with such drawing cards as Walter Thornton, Rolly Rogers, and Candy Jones.

Credits by the gross to Carnival Ball chairman Fran Lucier and his committee for their hard work in making the dance such a success, and especially for the excellent decorating job. We wouldn't have recognized the fir-trimmed and beautifully lighted Ball site as the Cage Friday night if we hadn't been warned in advance.

Our most beautiful orchid goes to Barbara Konopka, Queen of the 1950 Winter Carnival Ball. So much has been written about Barbara that we can't hope to add anything new to the tale. Suffice to say we think the judges made an excellent choice.

Lest we slight anyone, the remainder of our bouquet we toss to those individuals responsible for the success of the various Carnival events, all of which were run off with a smoothness close to perfection.

PUBLICITY

Congratulations to three members of the University faculty who have been getting into print in recent weeks. In last Sunday's Boston Globe Photogravure Section, we noted a spread on how to pop popcorn, featuring Prof. Oley Oleson of the Extension Service. In another section of the same paper was a feature by Prof. Paul W. Dempsey of the Experiment Station Staff, on the planning and planting of vegetable gardens. In addition to this, the Collegian has just received a release from the News Service concerning an article on Massachusetts, written by Prof. Arthur Musgrave of the Journalism Department, which is to be printed for international distribution under the auspices of the State Department. Prof. Musgrave's article was originally printed in Think magazine.

It would appear that the University is beginning to get the statewide and nationwide publicity for which we have been striving so hard and so long. The above-mentioned articles, plus the newspaper space awarded recently to Winter Carnival events, are certainly steps in the right direction. Let us hope that this is only a foreshadowing of more and greater publicity for our school.

SMALL SCHOOL TOURNEY

On February 28th through March 4th, the University will play host to the annual Small Schools Basketball Tourney at the Cage. A total of 12 teams will be entered in two separate events, the 8-school and the 4-school tourney. Without doubt, there will be many other visitors to the campus during that period, followers of the various teams entered in the tournament. It behooves the members of the University to support the event, and to show the finest hospitality to the visitors, teams and spectators. These players may be our future University athletes, and it is never too early to begin making a good impression for both their sakes and our own.

Letters To The Editor

FROM THE HOCKEY TEAM

TOPICS FROM THE TOWER

by Barb Curran

Dear Editor,

On Sunday afternoon, February 12th, the hockey and basketball teams were the guests of Sigma Kappa sorority for coffee at their house. We, the members of the hockey team, feel that such hospitality on the part of these girls bears notice. They were in no way obliged to entertain us, but merely took it upon themselves as a token of their appreciation for what we have been doing this winter.

We would like to openly thank each and every one of them, and their very nice House Mother for the kindness, warmth, and friendly atmosphere which pervaded throughout the afternoon. It really made us feel good to know that our efforts are being appreciated.

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Kaleidoscope

by Ed Craft

The mere mention of the adjective, "Victorian", conjures in the minds of any given audience, pictures, as several and diverse as is the numerical and intellectual capacity of that audience, for there are few delineated ages in history that have been so grossly intruded upon by so many powerful and antithetic forces, as was the "Victorian Era".

By comparison to the formidable contest which developed between science and ecclesiasticism, all other contests, during the era, diminished to the point of sounding like so much cat-yowling. But on the horizon stood two multi-pointed stags clawing the earth furiously, and both smarting from wounds each had inflicted on the other in the centuries past, but both were ready for what looked as if it might be a life and death engagement.

At close inspection, the contenders show themselves to be a couple of very old bucks, and we learn from the observers on the Victorian scene, that the battle has been raging for centuries. One of the first recorded observers upon this scene was Xenophanes of Colophon, a philosopher of pre-Socratic times who was immensely disturbed by the irreconcilability of scientific speculation and the theological concepts of Homer and Hesiod. Xenophanes was followed in Greek times by Plato and Aristotle, and in Christian times by a formidable procession of thinkers, (Paul, Augustine, Aquinas, DesCartes, Spinoza, Locke, the German transcendentalists, and finally, at the end of the Nineteenth Century, Nietzsche). Some of these thinkers added substantially to the weight of one or the other contender, while others attempted to reconcile the two; but down through the ages to the Victorian, and even to our own time, the two factions are still at grips, and with little likelihood of reconciliation (tho' some rationalists think they have accomplished thefeat).

During the Victorian Era, the startling advancement of science seemed to abrogate the entire moralistic structure of English society, and in fact, of the entire Christian World. In order to preserve what that society most valued, i.e., respectability, tradition, morality, etc., the Tractarians notably Newman, Keble, Froude, and Bouvier led what was known as the Oxford Movement—and abortive attempt to reunite the Protestant faiths under the Roman Catholic Church. A second movement, led by Wordsworth and Carlyle, was that of transplanting German transcendentalism to the English religious climate. The Nonconformists formed the third of the religious rival forces—forces disunited to save England from moral degradation. Though the movements achieved some degree of popularity and sanction, their effect was not lasting, for they were constantly subjected to the reasoning of the Secularists under John Stuart Mill, and to the rising tide of atheism and agnosticism.

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Our purpose in insisting on the twofold division is to demonstrate that in essence there is no difference between agnostic, atheist, pragmatist—though in particular, there is a difference—the essence, in this case being flat refusal to accept a traditional theistic belief. In particular, the difference resides in the way in which each expends his energies. The professed agnostic, because in that society, there is not one man

February 16, 1950

A week of fine broadcasting was brought to a close with the two excellent remote broadcasts of the Carnegie Hall and the University of Vermont-U of M basketball game.

Announcers Al Taylor and Larry Higgins brought to campus listeners the highlights of the Ball in a one and one half hour broadcast last Friday night. In addition to the programming of the music of Enoch Light and Lee Elgar, leading personalities at the Ball were interviewed by your staff radio announcers.

These interviews included Candy Jones, Barbara Konopka, Queen of the Ball, and the band leaders.

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THE MASSACHUSETTS COLLEGIAN, FEBRUARY 23, 1950

THOMAS F. WALSH
College Outfitter



Junior Class Sweeps All Top Honors In Annual Interclass Play Contest

Thornton Wilder's "The Happy Journey", presented by the Junior class under the direction of Alice Chorebanian, who won first prize in the inter-class competition, one of the highlights of Winter Carnival week. Top acting honors went to Alice O'Donnell and Mario Fortunato, who both appeared in the Junior class presentation.

Other members of the prize-winning cast were Paul Beauvais, Dorothy Lipnick, James Stapleton and Reggie Lawlor.

The sophomores copped second place with their presentation of "The Man in the Bowler Hat". The production was directed by Frank Sottile and the cast included Bob Smith, Faith Fairman, Bill Massida, Arthur Mintz, Al Hixson, Helen Woloshin and Whit Crawford.

Again on Saturday night, the remote broadcasting department went to work to give campus listeners play by play description of the U of V-U of M basketball game with Pat Rooney and John Robille at the microphone. The opportunity for WMUA listeners to attend the final basketball game by proxy this Thursday evening through the courtesy of WMUA will be effected through the efforts of announcers Pat Rooney and Fran Lucier and the engineering staff.

This week your columnist says hats off to the remote broadcasting department of station WMUA!!!

The Pioneer Broadcasting System

The three station network including WMUA, WAMF and WCR of Smith College, the Pioneer Broadcasting System initiated programming on a test basis this past week. These experimental broadcasts in which WMUA participated were received effectively that they will be continued this week also, Irv Wasserman announced last Monday.

The programs included a variety of live shows, seven hours of classical recordings per week and a liberal diffusion of semi-classical and popular music. Other outstanding programs can be heard by the campus this week.

Improvements in Technical Department

Stations technicians, including Bob Bates, Fred Carlson, and Bob Small, have been making an effort to improve the quality of broadcasting facilities in order to establish more effective reception.

Among the improvements already installed were eight new microphone pre-amplifiers. This will alleviate the difficulties caused by the necessity of using a tape recorder as a microphone amplifier.

New Program

A series of programs in which foreign students of the U of M campus will be interviewed will be brought to listeners via tape recording through the combined efforts of stations WHAI and WMUA.

Announcement

Any student or faculty organization having announcements that they would like to have broadcast concerning any phase of their club's activities are invited by WMUA to bring or send the information to the radio station. WMUA is only too happy to do this service for the campus.

Stand by for a new, special WMUA program coming soon that will involve you, the campus listener!!!

with the exception of the congenital idiot, who has not at some time lacked faith, or has not, at least doubted the validity of his belief, and the fear that his own doubt may again return, inspires in him, a spirit of toleration toward the agnostic.

It is vitally important to deviate for a moment to certain that there is no misinterpretation of what is meant by an "essence". Let us assume that water is an "essence". Water may be frozen or vaporized, i.e., it may change its form, but it is essentially water (H_2O), and the change in form is then due to the intrusion of an outside factor. And further, one "essence" (or essential factor) will bear no relationship of identity to another; and when any factor, exhibited as an "essence", bears an identical relationship to a factor with which it is being compared, one or neither of the factors shall be an "essence" until the common denominator shall be extracted. The "Rules of Essences" shall be applicable to all fields of human endeavor.

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Music fr dancing will be provided for by Ezra Shabas' band. Among the guests for the evening will be Monsieur Chamion, French Consul in Boston who is coming up to see the show.

In conclusion, we should take one last look at the battling stags, and we note that the stag of science has emerged unscathed and that the stag of their

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SPORTS



UM Puckchasers Tally Second Win Outskating Holy Cross, 6-3

Redmen Score Three Goals In Windup Canto; Lewis Sparks UM With Two Goals, One Assist

The Massachusetts sextet won their second game of the season last Thursday night by downing the Holy Cross Crusaders, 6-3. The game played at the Springfield Coliseum saw Bruce Lewis take scoring honors for the evening, driving two goals past the Holy Cross net minder, and assisting on a third.

The initial U.M. goal which came in the first two minutes of play saw Bruce Lewis break up center ice pass off into the left lane to Carl Foglia, who laid the puck right in front of the Cross net where Co-Captain Tom Toohey banged it home. Lewis' first goal followed a display of razzle dazzle skating by Fred "Rocket" Roche who passed off beautifully to Bruce who hung it in the nets. The third score came on a well executed passing play originating from Earl Burke and John McManus to Mark Rogers. The Cross beat goalie Ed Frydryk once during this canto. Score at the end of the first period was 3-1.

The second period saw the Mass pucksters fail to turn on the red light and the Crusaders bounded back to knot the score at three all. Ed Frydryk was tremendous in the nets kicking out shots from all angles. The first ten minutes of the period, the Mass skaters worked well, just couldn't seem to ring the bell. But the last ten minutes found the team letting up a little and not back checking to the best of their ability, and the Cross netted their last two goals of the evening. Tom Toohey was temporarily put out of action when he was kicked in the ribs on a fast breakaway.

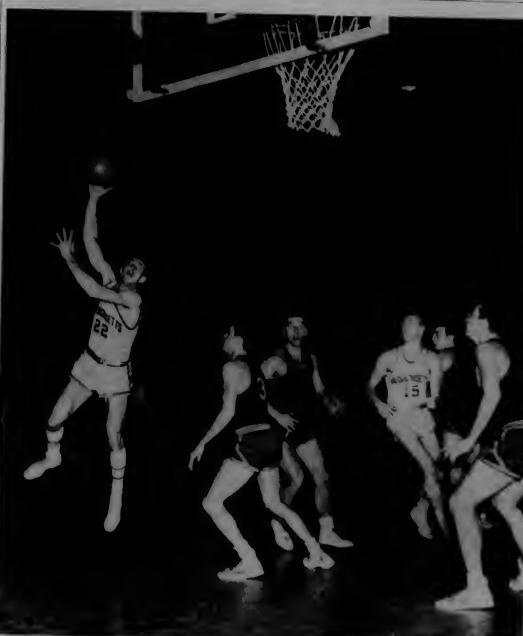
The third session opened with Bruce Lewis driving home his second goal of the evening after receiving a pass from the team pacesetter, Bill Burns. The fifth Mass score came on John Ellis' rebound on a long shot taken from the blue line, which was slipped past the bewildered Cross goalie by fast skating Carl Foglia. The game at this point became a little rough and Holy Cross drew five penalties in the last ten minutes. When the Cross was short handed, Fred Roche flipped in a rebound with the assists going to Al Graham and Earl Burke. Ed Frydryk showed his particular prowess by turning in a spectacular, and scoreless third period. The Fitzgerald men showed the hockey of which they are capable by skating just as hard on offense as they did on defense.

The pucksters don their skates again tonight when they meet a strong A.I.C. squad on the Springfield Coliseum ice.

ICE CHIPS

At this point of the Hockey season the team has a record of two wins, two losses, and two ties. The teams' first victory came over the strong New Hampshire combine when Fred Roche broke the tie in the overtime period to give the team a hard fought victory.

Something should be said for the negligible amount of practice. The problem of getting ice to practice on this year has been the main difficulty, and a word of praise should go out to the team as a whole for their endeavors to represent the school in the world of inter-collegiate hockey. There is little doubt that Coach Fitzgerald could have had a far more successful season with even a reasonable amount of practice. So far this year three games on the schedule have had to be cancelled due to the lack of outdoor ice.



GAGNON SCORES IN REDMAN TRIUMPH.—Ray Gagnon (22) boosts the Redmen to a six point lead midway in the second half of the Yankee Conference game with Vermont. Nieman (3) of the Catamounts watches in dismay. The other Redman is Ed McCauley. —Photo by Tague

Williams Tops Redmen In Close Tilt, 60-54

UConn Tracksters Win Giordano Sets Record

In a game as exciting as it was disappointing, the Redmen blew a third quarter 7 point lead to the much taller and faster Williams five; thus posting 60-54 defeat to their season's record. It was a contest of constantly changing leads, of spurts by both teams, with the home quint having the last word.

Feinman and Alintuck (UM) took the half-time score of 32-28, Williams, gives little indication of the closeness of the game. At no time did either team have more than three point lead the first 10 minutes, and the lead changed hands four times during the canto. But the second quarter the Ephemites trotted to a 7 point lead, only to see it wiped out in short order as the Redmen bounded back to head the home team by one point, then drop the lead again as the half whistle blew.

The second half no sooner started than the Ballmen displayed a better brand of ball. Two push shots by McCauley, a push and a layup by Ostman, one by Johnston and a Ray Gagnon set, forged the Redmen ahead 6-33 as Williams was able to tally only one point from the foul line.

Then the Redmen stalled, while Williams picked up point after point to take a slim one point lead, then dropped back as the Redmen struggled to a three point lead.

Williams Draws Ahead

The last quarter was all Williams, however. Closer teamwork and good advantage of opportunities pushed the Williams quintet ahead and they held a lead all through the last 10 minutes, at one time 10 points ahead. Until the last 30 seconds of the final quarter, the Redmen managed only one basket, by Paul Bourdeau, then Bill Prevey sunk his 18th and 19th points of the evening on his push shot.

Closed upon the heels of high-scoring Prevey in the tilt were Hal Ostman, who continues to rampage away from home, with 14 points, and Ed

Three Teams Survive IM Schedule Kappa Sig, Butterfield, Berkshire Playoff Soon For The League Crown

Vermont Beaten 65-57 Prevey Leads Attack

Taking an early lead at the 3 minute mark, the Redmen refused to be headed for the entire game and whipped a Vermont 65-57 before a capacity Winter Carnival crowd last Saturday on the home court. It was the 7th victory in 16 starts and leaves the Redmen with only one more contest to be played tonight against Tufts in the Cage.

While not a good game from a technical standpoint, the contest picked in the second half after a slow, dull first 20 minutes. The Vermont five controlled the boards and most of the jumps through the first half, while the tables turned in the second half due much to the efforts of Bob Johnston and Hal Ostman. Massachusetts rebound work was notably loose, as was the defense.

Although most of the credit must be given the Massmen for winning the game, the Vermont courtmans deserve an assist. They were inconsistent in their shots, and loose in their all-round playing, despite the fact they shot more and outscored the Redmen 27-25 from the floor. The difference was from the foul line.

In the preliminary round of Leag-

"A" it was Theta Chi that went undefeated as they knocked off Sigma Phi Ep., Lambda Chi Alpha, and Sigma Alpha Epsilon. In the meantime Kappa Sigma which had been defeated by S.A.E. went to the top in the consolation round and earned the chance to play Theta Chi and defeated them last Saturday night.

The Berkshire B quint were through the preliminary round of League "B" without much trouble as they defeated the Commuters, Fow-Tech, Commonwealth Circle and Plymouth A. The Commuters, whom they topped in their first game, went on to win the consolation round by outscoring Brooks House, Federal Circle A and Butterfield A.

It was last Monday night that the Berkshires quint beat the Commuters for the second time, this time hitting in double figures, and showing the partisan crowd good personal basketball, were Bill Prevey, with 17, Ray Gagnon 15, Ed McCauley, and Hal Ostman, 10. In the defensive bracket belong Bob Johnston and speedy Ray Gunn who turned in excellent jobs.

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Mass. b f p Vermont b f p
Prevey 6 5 17 Merrick 6 0 12
Ostman 5 5 15 Kolodarsky 5 0 10
McCabe 5 5 12 Macdonald 6 0 12
Ostman 4 2 8 McDonald 3 1 7
Gunn 2 0 4 Gratz 1 0 7
Giordano 1 0 2 Galli 1 0 7
Bourdeau 1 0 2 Keohane 2 1 5
Johnston 1 0 2 Bloomer 1 0 2
Goldman 0 0 1 Neimann 2 1 5
Smith 0 0 0 Couture 0 0 0
Tyler 0 0 0 Total 25 15 65 Total 27 3 57

The UConn front dumped the UM front 67-28. The only UM firsts were the one lap relay run by Dewing, Briere, Conway and Prevey and the 880 yard run won by MacNiven. Second in the 880 was Henry Walter who also finished second in the mile to Boivin (C). John Prevey, in the 440, which was won by Hanson (C) finished a strong second losing by less than a foot.

McCauley with 11. Tops for the Williams five was Harry Sheehan, 64" center, with 15, as their star of the past three years, George Ditmar, was held to four points. Rumor has it, however, that Ditmar is suffering from leg trouble.

IMPORTANT SPRING FOOTBALL MEETING
Friday, Feb. 24th
4:45 P.M.
Room 10 Phys. Ed. Building

Mass. b f p Williams b f p
Prevey 8 3 19 Sheehan 6 3 19
Ostman 6 2 11 Larson 6 4 18
McCabe 3 5 11 Shuch 3 4 10
Johnston 2 0 4 Cramer 4 1 9
Bourdeau 1 1 3 Peck 1 3 5
Giordano 1 1 3 D'Amico 2 0 4
Smith 0 0 0 Prevey 1 0 2
Gunn 0 0 0 Bourdeau 1 0 2
Giordano 0 0 0 Couture 0 0 0
Total 21 12 54 Total 24 12 60

COLLEGIAN SPORTS

Rogersmen Beaten By LaSalle, 59-16

Joe Verdeur, Olympic swimming champion led LaSalle to an easy victory over Joe Rogers' UM swimming team, 59-16. It was an old habit of LaSalle's to win for they have lost only one meet this season but in taking first place in every race they also broke a couple of Whitcomb Pool records.

Joe Verdeur broke the pool record when he swam the 220 yard breast stroke in 2:20.2 which is .55 seconds short of his world record. LaSalle's 300 yard medley relay team set another pool record when they finished the race in 2:55.9. The pool's 400 yard free style relay record was also smashed by the winning swim team. It was a rough afternoon for the Rogermen, who seem to be getting dumber by most everyone these days.

200-yard medley relay—Won by LaSalle Dorsch, Verdeur, Rosan, Time—2:55.9.
220-yard free style—Won by Fitzgerald, L.S. Time—2:20.2.
Jacque, M: 3, Ricks, L.S. Time—2:20.2.
200-yard free style—Won by Rhodes, L.S.; 2. Sweeley, L.S.; Manske, M. Time—2:51.
Diving—Won by Kennedy, L.S.; 2. Martin, M. 3. Hafey, L.S.
100-yard free style—Won by Sweeley, L.S.; Manske, M.; 3. Cooley, M. Time—56.5.
200-yard medley relay—Dorsch, L.S.; 2. Pickford, L.S.; 3. Laugel, M. Time—1:43.4.
200-yard breast stroke—Won by Verdeur, L.S.; 2. Garvey, L.S.; 3. Dana-Bashian, M. Time—2:08.2 (new record).

Sidelines?

John McGrath was top man in the scoring department for UM with five baskets and ten points. Much credit must be given to him not only for his play in that game but during the whole season for he keeps the team on their toes both offensively and defensively and also tries to keep them working as a team.

In the last ninety seconds of the game the Amherst quint made like the Globetrotters and passed the ball from man to man and consequently froze the ball for over a minute.

The Double-L-Men play their last game of the season Thursday night at the cage against the Tufts frosh. Last year they lost by three points, 70-73 even though this year's varsity star, Bill Prevey, hit for thirty points.

Bill Prevey, b f p Amherst (fr.) b f p
Lojko 2 2 4 Park 6 5 17
Sheffer 1 1 1 Hart 2 0 4
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Little Indians On Top 42-38 Over Williams

The Double-L-Men made it three wins in their last four games when they traveled to Williamstown and hooped 42 points in three periods to beat the Williams frosh 42-38.

The contest probably would have been a much easier victory but for a third period which didn't seem to exist for the Lordmen in as much as they went completely scoreless. (Something no other team has ever attempted). The L-Men led 29-28 at halftime, rested for a period while Williams hit for eight points, and then outscored the Perrymen 12 to 8 in the final canto for the win.

Sniado and Lojko were the only two on either side to hit for double figures, 12 and 10 respectively.

Sharp Sorority-ite Brings Much Grief To Novice Reporter

Everyone writes about his first assignment. Why not? You see, I've heard about the reporter and the lovely ladies he interviews, but when I decided to compete for a berth on the Collegian staff, I knew I couldn't be that lucky! Imagine my amazement when told my first assignment was to interview Miss Sekatuf at the Abbey about, "Who does more kissing—Boys or Girls?"

The team was celebrating their victory on the bus ride back to campus and one jubilant soul got caught smoking and is now very much in the dog house.

IM Bowling State
Feb. 21—QTV vs. KS, TEP vs. TC, Independents vs. Comm. Circle A. Feb. 23—SE vs. PSK, AEP vs. SPE, KK vs. Middlesex. Feb. 25—QTV vs. LCA, KS vs. AGR, Independents vs. XQ's. March 2—TEP vs. SAE, TC vs. Comm. Circle A vs. CC-R. March 7—PSK vs. PSK, KS vs. SPE, KK vs. Independents. March 9—LCA vs. AGR, TEP vs. AEP, Middlesex vs. Comm. Circle A. March 14—SAE vs. QTV, KS vs. TC, Comm. Circle B vs. XQ's.

Intra-Mural Sports ...
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The intramural sport possible. This includes members of the Department of Intramural Athletics, the timers and scorekeepers, those who served as referees and student head, Hal Fierman.

Miss Sekatuf in? "Yes; who's calling?" "She doesn't know me, yet." "Aha, I've got her suspense!" Ten anxious minutes elapsed. She appeared in the archway. A pleasant hummum echoed within me. "Yikes!" followed by blood-pumping ventricle. I told her my purpose, and after five seconds convinced her we should go to Shumways.

"Look, there's the Bartsellotti's Drug Store; let's go there instead," she said. Drug store, soda fountain—all the same to me.

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She suggested "cokes"; ordered cokulations (she seemed to have three coca coin—some new brand. Tasted one came from), I was madly in love with her.

All I remember were those embraces I was happy until I awoke the next morning kissing a dirty, soggy moan in the janitor's closet at Chabourne. I guess some wise guys put me there while I was sleeping.

A few hours later I realized I was in love with this chick. Never felt like this before. After those juicy os-

Insurance Rep To See Seniors On Trust Fund

A representative of the New England Mutual Life Insurance Company will be on campus next Monday, to explain to senior students a new type of insurance policy intended to create a trust fund for the University. He will contact the seniors individually and explain the system, by which a

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OFF THE FLOOR—Ed McCauley (15) arches a one-hander from the foul line for two UM points in a game played last week at Williams. The Redmen emerged from the game with a 6-9 record as Williams scored a 60-54 victory.

—Photo by Tague

The Bull's in the Cornfield, Mother From The Brickyard

Bruce T. Bowens

"The cure of democracy is more democracy." It is a lie and we know it is a lie. We know that this cry of the demagogue has invariably in the past led to anarchy and to despotism . . ." Paul Elmer More, Natural Aristocrat

Karl Marx once said, "To be a radical is to grasp the matter by its root." It is then no wonder that radicals are few in number and are greatly misunderstood. Once a matter is grasped at its roots, it becomes apparent that a great deal of peripheral do-goodism, while providing a bit of self-righteous satisfaction to its participants, is actually an utter waste of time. We would not patronize a physician who successively amputated our diseased limbs and left the source to fester at will. Why then do we tolerate such treatment of the body politic?

Illustrating my point are some friends of mine. They are all het up over the poll tax issue. Many tears of indignation are shed over the poor folk who are being deprived of their right to vote. Now they look at me with horror when I tell them that what time I have for political activities will be spent, not in helping more people to vote, but in trying to prevent a great many who now vote from doing so.

We Complain . . .

Every political problem in this country can be traced back to one source: the incompetency of the voter. Take care of that and such problems as the poll tax will be easily solved. We constantly complain of members of Congress who keep making asses of themselves and goats of us; we complain of mayors who dip their fingers into the public till right up to the shoulder blade; we complain of presidential aspirants characterized chiefly by male-like vision, elephan-tine finesse and oxen imagination. Yet, "We, the People" put them there. They truly represent us. They are the sum total of our political wisdom—even though they don't add up to much.

Any surgery upon the body politic must start with excision of the cancer of the incompetent voter. Anything else is simply peripheral amputation—ultimately fatal to the patient. The difficulty is that we have, through a series of semantic errors set up the following equation: freedom equals democracy equals universal suffrage. Proceeding on this false assumption, we blanch when anyone suggests limiting suffrage, immediately conjuring up nightmares of ourselves being converted into soap and lampshades. This is certainly a non sequitur. One of the more successful periods of our democracy came in these early days when only a small percentage of the populace possessed

Sig Ep Fraternity Wins Round Robin Honors

The first prize for fraternity house decorations at last Saturday night's Winter Carnival Week round robin went to Sigma Phi Epsilon. The Sig Ep house was decorated in nautical style complete with port holes for windows, a life boat, and a marmoth Popeye at a steering wheel standing on the front porch. The basement was decorated to resemble the sea bottom.

Kappa Sig Places
Kappa Sigma ran a close second with a "Parisian Ball," the rooms being decorated with French murals and etchings. Costumes were original and colorful.

Alpha Gam Shows
Alpha Gamma Rho came in third with a "Square Dance Party," chiefly laudable for its lively spirit and clever and unusual dancing.

—Photo by Tague

Building Snow Sculptures—It's Not Quite As Easy As You Might Think

by Larry Litwack

Monday morning, a warm rain (instead of the snow forecasted) began to melt the little snow left on the ground. As the news spread through the house, a great sigh of relief went up as everyone thought "No snow sculptures this year". To check, each brother secretly scanned the weather reports to see if there was any possibility of snow. All were reassured by the cheerful prediction of "Unseasonably warm weather".

Early Tuesday morning, one of the boys looked out of the window to see little white flakes of snow drifting lazily earthward. As he watched, the snow grew in intensity and soon was driving downward with the full force of a mid-winter blizzard—but

hid it. Gloomily, he rolled over and wondered about the quickest way to leave town.

Finally, the brothers were forced to face the grim fact that the sculptures would be judged in four days. The first question raised was "What h-l are we going to build?" Feeling the need for a more conducive atmosphere, everyone decided to adjourn to Grandy's to discuss the matter.

Each guy had his own pet ideas as the boy flowed, expressed it more and more vehemently. Such ideas as the suggestion to put a Model T on skis and letting the snow cover it up to pass as a sculpture, were immediately thrown out. Finally, one of the remaining conscious souls suggested that they satirize a boy and girl coming home after the Ball. The girl would be shown as disheveled and mussed up, and the boy would be shown holding an empty wallet, but with a self-satisfied grin. Immediately, everyone jumped at this idea, and so the work began.

Steal the Show

The first problem to be faced was the acquisition of snow. However, this was soon solved when one of the brighter guys suggested getting snow from the town. Despite the protests of a few conscientious souls who felt that such methods would be unfair to other campus groups, this idea was adopted at once.

Immediately, one group was assigned to construct the boy's car, one group was to model the boy, and the rest of the eager workers were to make the girl. Leaving one guy to keep hot coffee on the fire, the rest went out to work.

At first, the sculpture proceeded rapidly. But, as the work progressed, it grew colder and colder. As the biting penetrating cold crept through the thickest clothes, faces grew blue, hands and feet became frostbitten, and work was temporarily discontinued.

Meanwhile, the deadline approached. Those who had weekend pledges sick and were excused. Others, deciding that they needed a drink to warm them up, spent the time sitting at Grandy's. The few souls left at the house worked gamely on.

Gradually the work progressed, instead of 44 workers and one director, now there were 5 workers and 40 directors. These guys had the important job of standing by and criticizing the sculpture. The few actual workers worked grimly on and on, and the sculpture neared completion.



IZFA

Israel is a state of workers and a bus driver is today among the greatest elite—socially. "Mr. Edward Ta-maroff, Asso. Director of Greater-Boston Israel Histadrut Comm., declared at the IZFA General Meeting on Histadrut on Wed., Feb. 15.

The Israeli way of life calls for employers, workers, and laborers not to exploit each other to get ahead and retire, but to work for the state.

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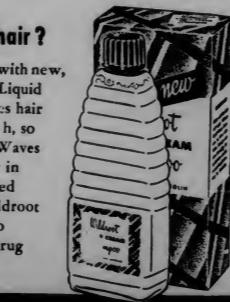


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AEPi Dining Room Damaged by Blaze

The fraternity brothers of AEPi began redecorating their newly-purchased house following the fire on the morning of February 15 which extensively damaged the dining room and pantry.

In addition to the damage to the dining room and pantry, the upper three floors received slight damage from smoke.

Florence Bigelow and Robert Skolnick, a senior, whose turn it was to wash the dishes. They notified the Amherst Fire Department.

Reports of arson were denied by Chief George Taylor of the Amherst Fire Department; however, the origin of the blaze is as yet unknown, and investigation is underway.

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Insurance Rep. . .
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set amount is taken from the dividends of a 20-year \$1000 policy toward setting up a trust fund. The move has the sanction of school officials.



Major Bill Reynolds, Oregon '40 Pilot-Professor, U.S. Air Force!



Bill was an all-round athlete. He chose football as his favorite sport, made the varsity teams at Pomona Junior College and also at the University of Oregon.



A Theta Chi member enjoyed campus social life. Found that it eased the pressure of rugged athletics and his heavy study schedule in Personnel Management.



Upon graduation, Bill chose a future in the Air Force. He "Ran" his first Link trainer as an Aviation Cadet in 1940. By March, 1941, he had won his pilot wings.



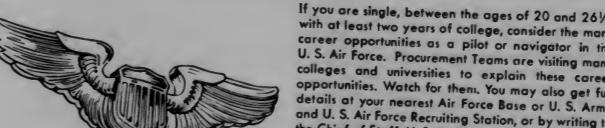
The 1st Observation Squadron, Fort Riley, Kansas was Lieutenant Reynolds' first assignment. While there he met the future Mrs. Reynolds. They married a year later and now have two fine sons.



The Squadron moved to Panama, then to the Pacific. Bill advanced from pilot to operations officer to squadron commander. He came home a Major and qualified for a Regular Commission.



Recently promoted to Major, Bill—organizing and improving flight techniques—Major Reynolds, a "Pilot Professor", looks forward to a long and gainful career in the U. S. Air Force.



If you are single, between the ages of 20 and 26½, with at least two years of college, consider the many career opportunities as a pilot or navigator in the U. S. Air Force. Procurement Teams are visiting many colleges and universities to explain these career opportunities. Watch for them. You may also get full details at your nearest Air Force Base or U. S. Army and U. S. Air Force Recruiting Station, or by writing to the Chief of Staff, U. S. Air Force, At: Aviation Cadet Branch, Washington 25, D. C.

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Varieties ...

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Noel Coward, the Varieties also presents its drawing room comedy, with Alice O'Donnell, Ed Purrington, Barbara Lewis, and Seymour Frankel, drawing room, according to author, because for some strange reason the skit takes place on a couch. Taking songs from the hit musical of the decade, Helen Viera will do "Bill" and "Can't Help Loving That Man" from *Showboat*.

With the War, a whole new era in show business sprang up. New songs, new themes, everything was patriotic. Let's face it, kid, "This is the Army" was the topic of the day. Cut off from the European influence, American music soon turned to the South of the Border influence. Sambas, congas, galore were in their heyday. Chris Yahnis with the Gaucho presents a medley of these South American dances.

Following the war areas, show business set off in droves to bring some cheer to the boys over there. From tragedian to juggler they all did their bit. Even Hamlet was dusted off and carted overseas by Maurice Evans. The Varieties version of Hamlet is a tribute to this sign of intellectual ferment found even among our soldiers. In this version, juniors may find a notorious similarity to *Omel*, a playlet by one James Stapleton appearing in the freshman magazine Pow-Wow in 1948. The skit stars author Stapleton as Hamlet, and features in its large cast, Dick Tarsus, Rose Goodman, Bobbie Kinghorn and Seymour Frankel.

Modern Ballet

About this time, ballet was finding its way from the classics into the everyday world. In "Skyscraper Blues" Joan Hartley stars in a typical Musical comedy ballet.

This takes us to the present day and the heavy Southern drama exemplified by the "Respectful Prostitute," and "Streetcar Named Desire" which are caricatured in the skit "Rehearsal for the Drama" starring

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"HMS Pinafore" To Be Presented In Unique Manner

His Majesty's Ship Pinafore will sail again on March 17 and 18 at 8 p.m., in Bowker Auditorium, under the direction of Doris Alvin.

The cast of the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, composed of members of the University Chorus and others, includes: Lorna Wildon as Josephine, Ernest Nelson as Ralph Rakestrav, Jim Powers as Captain Corcoran, Howard Galley as Sir Joseph Porter, Ann McElroy as Buttercup, Jane McElroy as Cousin Hebe, Jim Patterson as Dick Deadeye, Jim Chapman as the Boatman, and Ann Lundgren, Margery Nelson, and Lucia Pierce as Hebe's three cousins.

Chorus Manager Ann McElroy '50 revealed that the operetta is to be presented in a unique manner, but at this time, she would not disclose any further information. Watch for more news in the next few weeks about this new way of presenting the well-known Gilbert and Sullivan operetta.

Time keepers at the ski events were F. Tibbet and Dr. Smith.

Senate ...

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Alice Chorebanian, Jim Stapleton, Faye Hammel, and Dot Lipnick.

Arriving at the end of the road, where does the show business go from here? This question will be answered in the 1950 Campus Varieties.

SKI EVENTS

The U of M Winter Carnival ski events, delayed a week by the uncooperative weather, were finally run off at the Ski Basin in West Cummington last Saturday.

Al Toczydowski '50, took first place in the Class A men's slalom and downhill events. Clocking 43.8 seconds on the first and 38.8 on the downhill, in the class A slalom, C. Clark was second with 48.4 seconds and Clyde Benedict third, with 53 seconds.

In the class B slalom H. Frost was first with a time of 54.8, W. Hart second with 58.5 and C. Werk third with 63.8.

In the downhill Class A event: Toczydowski was first, Bartlett second with 40.2 and Taggart third with 40.7. There was a definite scarcity of girl competitors at the ski events, but enough courageous stalwarts volunteered to run off one class B downhill.

M. Derby took the first in this event, with J. Kennedy and L. Luther finishing second and third respectively.

The skiers were forced to resort to the old fashioned herring-bone and side step to ascend the slope way in the afternoon, when one of the pulley wheels on the tow burned out a bearing. The tow was shut down most of the afternoon but was running again by 4:30.

There will be social dancing from 9 to 11. A good time is assured all.

A crowd of around two hundred were on hand to watch the events or take advantage of the free afternoon

CLUB NOTES

Graduate Club Dance

The Graduate Club will hold a dance Friday, February 24th at 8 p.m. in Memorial Hall. This will be the first social affair to which all the Valley Colleges have been invited.

Forestry Club

There will be a meeting of the Forestry Club at 7 p.m. this Thursday in room 102 of the Forestry Building. Movies on Forest Photography will be shown at that time.

Phi Ed Club

The monthly meeting of the Phi Ed Club was held Tuesday, Feb. 14, at the Physical Education Building. Eugene Tanning spoke on Safety and Driver Education.

Hillel Club

On Sunday evening, February 26, Hillel House has planned a well rounded program, consisting of a supper, a Marriage Forum, and dancing. The program will start at 5:30 with the supper, admission 50 cents.

At seven there will be a Marriage Forum moderated by Mr. Henry Karsner. Participating in the forum will be Dr. Colvert Stein, Springfield psychiatrist; Rabbi Simon Konovitch of Northampton; and Dr. Peter Merzbach of Amherst.

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Recess Commission Asks \$20,000 For Scholarships To University

The state Recess Commission on Education recommended last week that the Commonwealth finance 100 scholarships to the University of Massachusetts under a flexible system, with the total cost not to exceed \$20,000.

The commission, headed by Senator Ralph Mahar and Representative Ralph W. Sullivan also approved the consolidation of the University's schools of liberal arts and sciences into a College along with full-time deans for the schools of Business Administration and Engineering.

In addition, the commission recommended that the trustees study the possibility of a School of Nursing here to meet "large and unfilled demand for nurses," and that a long-range study be undertaken of proposals to set up schools of medicine and dentistry.

The scholarship proposal was discussed by the Recess Commission here on Nov. 14. In a statement relative to a free tuition proposal, President Van Meter and Registrar Lanphear recommended the 100 Commonwealth Scholarships.

The Nov. 14 statement pointed out that the University has approximately \$20,000 in private funds to aid needy students, and that this money had been given in the days when the entering class was 400 or less, whereas next year the University will be admitting an entering class of 800 in the undergraduate college.

The statement said: "A Commonwealth Scholarship Aid fund of \$20,000 would make it possible for approximately 100 students, (or 25 students in each class) to get an education that is now denied them solely for financial reasons."

The statement pointed out that there are many high school graduates who, "though worthy of a college education, cannot afford to attend the State University because the total cost is approximately \$800, of which the tuition is \$100."

"Experience with veterans has shown this is a large group," the statement continued.

The statement explained that need for scholarship aid is mounting apart from the enrollment increase, as a result of rising living costs for parents and increased cost of board and room for students who come largely from "large families of moderate means."

Many students, the statement added, "are in serious financial straits."

The need for a full-time dean of Arts and Sciences, business administration and engineering was also explained by President Van Meter to the Recess Commission on Nov. 14.

The commission rejected a proposal to set up a branch of the University in Boston as being prohibitive in cost.

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We Had An Insurance Check; Who Wants To Be Rich Anyway

I lit the twenty-five cent corona and leaned back to sip my Johnny Walker Black label scotch and soda. Good old Uncle Sam had come through again. Funny how I'd fought against those six-fifty premiums at first.

As I was leaving a class the other day, what to my wondering eyes did appear but two little pros and eight tiny snowballs. So it is with men and children.

The object of many a snowball attack has been our queen-to-be belles of the campus and who can escape a carefully-planned and coordinated attack by the crack military men of Massachusetts?

During an attack one distraught female was heard repeating these lines from Robert Frost as if she found some singularly profound meaning to her and her distress: "When the wind works against us in the dark, And pellets us with snow, The lower chamber window on the east, And whispers with a sort of stifled bark, The beast, 'Come out! Come out!' Those of us not asleep subdued to mark,

Sponsored by the UNH Student Council, the conference will have delegates from the Universities of Maine, Vermont, Massachusetts, and Rhode Island.

In panel groups, the delegates will discuss campus elections, disciplinary problems, student government structure, and fostering interest in governing bodies. Each of the visiting colleges will prepare a report for the panel discussions.

It caught again and I chugged into Rowe's and said fill her up to the attendant. In an expansive mood I waltzed into the office and asked how much they wanted for the job they had performed on the Chev's transmission recently. The clerk whipped out a yard long statement and checked the items thereon. "Forty-seven fifty," he declared after

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First Literary Mag Published at U of M

The first issue of the CEA Critic, a national magazine of the College English Association, appeared last week from the University of Massachusetts editorial office.

Previously published in New York, its present editor is Prof. Max Goldberg, who is now the national executive secretary.

Along with the first issue to be published here was a supplement, published by the U. of M. containing the text of a talk given here last Spring by Prof. Ernest Bernbaum.

The Collegian does not print editorial comments in its news columns, but we would like to say congratulations to Prof. Goldberg and the School of Liberal Arts.



Ray Gagnon (24) is shown hooping his third straight basket in the final canto of the Tufts game. The hoop closed the scoring gap to 47-41.

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By Russ Brode

Redmen Overtake Tufts in Season Finale, 53-51

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The high-flying, 11 straight Jumbo quintet had the winds taken out of its sails last Thursday night as the Redmen bounced back from a 17 point deficit with a 53-51 victory over the Medfordmen to hand them their 4th defeat in 18 starts. It was a magnificent display of determination and stamina against a team that did all the hopes, and all the height. Tufts towered over the Redmen for man for man in addition to one of the top set-shot artists in the area, Al Perry.

With McCauley starting off the contest on a "push" and after taking him 5-2 lead, the Massmen saw their lead disappear as the Jumbos came out in front on Perry's sets. Kolankowicz' bucket work, followed by the half-time smoke cleared when the Redmen were down 30-18, in the half-time. Tufts looked at that time like an almost hopeless fight against height. The second half started off in the Jumbo manner as they pulled lead up to 17 points (44-27), the Redmen blazed forth and out the hearts of the Tuftsmen. Still down 12 points at the last quarter started, 44-32, the Redmen used 21 points against the Jumbos to walk off with the game.

It was a curious game that seems to consist of two parties—the givers and the receivers, of which the givers have a distinct advantage.

The other evening when returning to my room, I was quite amused to see snow flying into the hall through an open door. Then I realized I must have swept a bushel of snow from my room!

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How the cold creeps as the fire dies at length.— How drifts are piled, Doorway and road ungraded, Till even the comforting barn grows far away,

And my heart owns a doubt Whether 'tis in us to arise with day And save ourselves unaided."

It's as though I'm casting my eyes on the pleated fenders. Maybe I should get a new one, I liked that idea and visited myself outdistancing officer Fitzgerald on North Pleasant Street with a shiny new Lincoln convertible. I jolted the accelerator of my old '39 Chevy so violently as I day dreamed that the tired engine coughed and stalled.

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SCHOLARSHIPS

The information that the state Recess Commission has asked for Commonwealth-financed scholarships to the University comes as good news to many students planning to attend, or already in attendance at the school. Despite the fact that this is a state University, many of our costs—namely room and board charges—are over the median for colleges in the United States according to a recent New York Times survey. These new scholarships, if passed, will enable more residents of Massachusetts to avail themselves of the low cost education which they deserve, and which the University should be able to provide.

MC CARTNEY

As the result of an editorial printed in these columns last week concerning the publicity recently given to the University through various articles written by faculty members, Bob McCarty of the News Service drops a memo with further information on University publicity which we feel will be of interest to the students.

According to Bob, roto features on Winter Carnival will appear within a week or two in the *Boston Sunday Herald* and the *Springfield Sunday Republican*—definitely on March 5 for the *Herald*, and possibly a week later in the *Republican*. In addition, a spread has been promised in the *New Bedford Standard Times*.

A national publicity, the University can boast that the story of the "Brinks" sculpture, which won third place in the women's division of the sculpturing contest for Kappa Kappa Gamma, went out nationally on the UP radio wire all day Monday, February 20.

This recent trend by New England newspapers of publicizing the University to the hilt is something that we, as members of the school, and as faculty and administration, have been waiting to see for a long time. And the *Collegian* offers its heartiest congratulations to Mr. McCarty and the workers in the News Service for doing a difficult job in a highly creditable, though unassuming manner.

Mr. McCarty, who is listed in the catalogue by the unimportant-looking title of College Editor, has a far from unimportant position. His is the task of wading through the reams of notices which come to his desk each day, selecting those which he feels will be of interest to various newspapers, and sending out press releases on these news... hoping to see them in print. In many cases he is knocking his head against a brick wall, for often his press releases are awarded only a choice position in the waste basket of a busy New England newsroom. But sometimes, and even more frequently of late, the releases break into print, and the University is splashed in 30 point type across an important page in the paper.

In addition to taking care of his own press releases, Mr. McCarty devotes a great deal of time to keeping the student correspondents for the various larger newspapers informed on material that might be of interest to their particular news organs. This is not only a service to the University, but also to the correspondent who collects anywhere from 12 to 25 cents for each inch of copy he turns in.

Thus, these people directly involved are grateful to Mr. McCarty, and deeply appreciative of the aid he gives them. But our College Editor is working for the entire University, and is achieving a success that reflects credit on the school as a whole. It is only fair, then, that the University as a whole should know what he is doing, and should show their interest and appreciation.

The *Collegian* leads the first cheer.

Letters To The Editor

SWIMMING TEAM

Dear Editor,

Just what kind of a Sports Department does our school have? Last Friday the boys on our swimming team swam their hearts out against a vastly superior team—a team which has an Olympic champion competing for it—and all that some wise-guy sports reporter has to say about our inevitable, but not dishonorable, defeat is "... the Rogersons . . . seem to be getting bucked by most everyone these days."

If our teams are weak it is largely due to a lack of school spirit which is being fostered by this type of sports reporting. If all your reporters can do is make biting, sarcastic remarks about our defeats, it would be better not to report them at all.

Israel B. Smith

Ed Note: Nuts!!

THATCHER BOUQUET

Dear Editor,

Through the *Collegian*, we wish to thank the girls of Thatcher for their co-operation in contributing to the Athletic Scholarship Fund. Such support is clear evidence of the fact that the girls on campus can do something, if they only want to, to help the Athletic Scholarship Committee.

Barb Flaherty, '52
Helen Turner, '52

Kaleidoscope

by Ed Craft

In this all-too-civilized society of ours, it is a source of increasing amazement to investigate the ways and means by which men contrive to exterminate one another. We cringe and cower at the thought of a future war, either with or without the hydrogen bomb and bacterial infection. We read with horror about earthquakes, fires, floods and polio. And yet, with perfect equanimity, we not only sanction, but encourage, participation in barbarian sports such as boxing.

The recent death in New York, of middleweight Laverne Roach, has once again brought the sport into the headlines, and once again there have been offered the usual arguments, pro and con, on the subject of boxing as a healthy body-building sport. In its defense, the customary discussion invariably points out first, the age of the sport, then the small number of participants who are maimed or killed, next, the utility of the sport in the art of self-defense, and finally, that in any sport where there is physical contact, there is certain to be injury. These are only four of the usual arguments advanced, but there are others, though they hold less weight. We should now test the validity of these points, and try to arrive at some rational conclusion.

As regards age, the antiquity of a sport, or likewise an idea, provides no logical reason for retaining either. As a matter of fact, quite the contrary is generally true—that sports, like ideas become outmoded and though both may have served a useful purpose, they should either be looked upon as steps in man's development and not as invaluable treasures to be practiced until man exterminates himself. (This does not mean that we believe that man will box himself to death.)

With regard to the small number of injuries and deaths which are brought about by participation in the sport, we have only this to say, that considering the delicate structure of the human skull and brain, it is obvious that incessant pounding upon them can be of no constructive value, which belief is substantiated by the imbecile state to which most "pugs" are reduced at some time during their careers.

Concerning the magnificent art of self-defense, reflection reveals that more extensive use of the brain through cerebration, instead of the excessive pummeling of it will make any individual both able to defend himself (against an even wider range of enemies), in addition to making him a more productive individual as far as society is concerned.

And finally, the observation that, in any sport where there is physical contact, there is bound to be injury, probably the most profound of the century—rather like saying that if you allow a bull in a china shop, something is liable to be broken. But enough of these ridiculous points—let's get to the core of the matter.

The death of men like Roach stands as a monument to the supreme stupidity of us, the animals who are accused of the capability of reason. If we find it so desirable to demonstrate our bulging biceps, must we be so gross as to inflict them on one another? Can we not restrict our athletic prowess to the more harmless and equally beneficial decathlon sports, and swimming, golf, tennis and countless other sports in which physical contact is not a factor? Must we continually be cast into the position of extending sympathy to families who have lost an athlete son? Is the glory or the dollar worth it?

The *Collegian* is looking for reporters to fill an important niche in our campus community. If you are interested in improving your own powers of observation and analysis and in improving the *Collegian*, come to the meeting tonight at five p.m. in the College Office in Mem Hall. Everyone is welcome, experienced or not.

TO THE BRICKYARD

Dear Bruce Bowens:

I read "From the Brickyard" in the *Collegian* of 23 February. I enjoyed the column. Your technique could never be termed "spoon feeding" because in several instances the instrument used is a shovel.

In reference to your remedy for political troubles—Why surgery? If the incompetent voter is indeed the cause of the sorry state of our political leadership, the cancer in your analogy—why not some sort of therapy to make this member a useful part of the body? Why not cure the existing system rather than create a new system by the judicious lopping off of the troublesome parts?

You say that ability should be the new criterion for the voter. I say rather that responsibility exists on the part of the voter who would cure the evils you speak of.

Ability is a trait of the few fortunately endowed, while responsibility is a characteristic which may be developed by the less talented. Ability is in many instances a natural hereditary talent, but responsibility may be acquired by training and experience.

If our voters have no choice in elections other than the preference of one candidate over another or perhaps a yes or no on a referendum question then there is no opportunity for them to exercise responsibility even if they possess the quality. If, however, our voters can be induced to participate intelligently in the primaries in comparable numbers to the election turnout, they would really have a go at sheep-goat separation and their choices at elections would allow for a demonstration of responsibility.

Now let's take your poll tax. Why not use it as an incentive to voter participation? As a source of revenue it is insignificant and in a great many cases it cannot be collected at all. First, why not raise the poll tax to an amount that can be felt—even hurt? Then we spread it out to all voters—that means even too. Then we grant abatements for electoral participation. For instance: 50% rebate for voting in the primary election and 50% rebate for voting in the general election. Thus the responsible voter, in effect, will not pay poll tax. The system probably wouldn't work—it's too simple.

At any rate, this scheme would apply the criterion, not as you wish to the voter, but to the office holder who would have to stay on his toes to hold his job.

Sincerely,
Don Wood '51

OOPS—OUR ERROR

February 20, 1950

Editor, The Massachusetts Collegian
Memorial Hall, University of Massachusetts
Amherst, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

The Collegian of February 16th, in making a pie for more concert band members, stated in two separate articles that the University of Maine has an enrollment of 2800 and a band of 120 members. While we are proud of the fine band at our Alma Mater, we are also proud of the fact that she boasts an enrollment over 4000. Enclosed is official proof of this statement.

Sincerely,
Jean M. Turner, U. of Maine '45
Philip B. Turner, U. of Maine '45
Grad U. of Mass.

Ed. Note: That's right. According to the circular enclosed with the above letter the University of Maine has an enrollment this year of 4400. Our humble apologies.

MALE PROCTORS

A limited number of vacancies as proctors in men's dormitories will occur in September. Applications must be made on blanks which are available in the Dean's Office, and must be completed and returned by March 15, 1950.

In general, qualifications for Head Proctors are Member of University staff plus leadership ability. For Assistant Proctors: Graduate student or senior with leadership ability and good academic and extra-curricular achievement.

Memo to Collegian Competitors:

"Reporting is a post of peculiar honor. Observation must precede every other activity, and the public observer (that is the reporter) is a man of critical value. No amount of money or effort spent in fitting the right man for this work could possibly be wasted for the health of society depends upon the quality of the information it receives. Good reporting requires the exercises of the highest of the scientific virtues. They are habits of ascribing no more credibility to statement than it warrants, a nice sense of the possibilities, and a keen understanding of the quantitative importance of particular facts."

—Walter Lippmann

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COMMON SENSE

The sense of satisfaction that one gets in wearing a suit by Walsh cannot be measured in dollars and cents but only in sense, for if you buy clothes, buy good clothes. In the end the cost is less and the satisfaction much greater.

THE MASSACHUSETTS COLLEGIAN, MARCH 2, 1950

THOMAS F. WALSH

College Outfitter

More than a Togger... A College Institution

Open The Window, Lie On Your Back, Close Your Eyes Faculty Rating System Planned by New Senate

by Dick Hafey

by Gin Leesee

The new Senate rolled into gear. In a blaze of optimism it plans to accomplish this semester some extremely worthwhile projects.

These projects, if carried to completion, would in great measure help iron out the wrinkles of red tape which now exist.

Through the curriculum committee, the Senate plans to hold a student Faculty Rating in which students are allowed to rate their profs according to suitability.

UM Athletic Dept. Provides 35c Hour Male Baby-Strollers

Having trouble getting a baby sitter these days? Want to get out and see the town? Well, the athletic department of the University has started a baby sitting program for the benefit of Amherst residents.

Set up originally by Head Football Coach Tommie Eck, this program has for its main purpose the earning of a few extra dollars for athletes who need it to help defray their college expenses. Thus, former rugged men who were dodging tackles on the football field, will now dodge a few bistrots.

How many of us have stayed awake until the wee hours of the morning until we think it is finally safe to get a little sleep without a ride around the room thrown in as a result of the examination. The guardians of our ideal state must be not merely crude, but will prove to be the ruination of the country when our generation takes over the reins.

I submit that a system of tests should be devised to determine the applicant's political acumen. These tests should explore, not only the applicant's conversations with immediate relatives, but his possession of a philosophical basis, but his possession of a philosophical frame of reference, by which to order his day-to-day attitudes and provide some sort of long-range orientation to his reckoning. This latter cannot be over-stressed. In politics, as in all areas of thought, the distinction between knowledge and understanding, between erudition and wisdom, consists of the propensity to search out fundamental philosophic principles from the mass of particular facts. The guardians of our ideal state must be not merely crude, but will prove to be the ruination of the country when our generation takes over the reins.

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Though I have scarcely touched upon this complex problem of the nature of the examination, I must rush on, only pausing to state that this test should be taken not once but periodically (say, every four years) to assure the continuance of the voter's interest and competence.

The usual objection to any proposal to restrict the franchise is that the reduced body of voters would tend to legislate for their own interests, establishing themselves as a privileged oligarchy. Ever since Marx, it is only our assumption that this tenet could be extended to apply to the un-

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SPORTS



Redmen Rally To Scalp Highly-Favored Tufts Jumbos By 53-51

**Great UM Finish Ends Tufts' Streak
Gagnon Shots Win In Last Minutes**

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Redmen Tighten Up

With the ball in Tufts possession, it looked as if the Jumbos were trying the freeze for as long as they could to cool a red-hot Mass. five. But later comments from the Tufts bench confirmed the thought that the Mass. defense had tightened up so much they could not work the ball in, and were afraid to lose it with a set-shot.

But they did lose it on the sparkling defensive work of Johnston and Gunn, both of whom played a game surpassing anything they've shown this year. A mad, under-the-basket scramble ended with McFaulley tapping in the loose ball, and with 6 minutes remaining the score read 47-43, Tufts.

Again the seeming freeze, and again the Jumbos were unable to get the ball near the basket. A Tufts foul gave Johnston a free throw, which he sank, quickly followed by a Prevey push, and with three minutes remaining the Redmen had whittled the 17 point lead of the Jumbos down to a looming one point and were headed for the victory line, tails ablaze.

Meanwhile, the Jumbos had failed to score for 7 minutes, when Perry tried and sunk his last set of the evening. The score—46-49, but a Prevey basket quickly brought the Redmen within one point again, only to see Kolaniewicz held scoreless the second half after a 10 point 1st half, drop one in to send the Jumbos out ahead by three points.

It was then that Ray Gagnon, who played a brilliant game throughout the entire evening, wound up the contest in flashing, jubilant style. He dropped one of his side sets in to draw the Redmen one point behind Tufts, and with 28 seconds remaining, he faked his man out and sunk a beautiful lay-up from under the basket to forge the Redmen ahead by one point, 52-51.

Ostman Ends Season Scoring

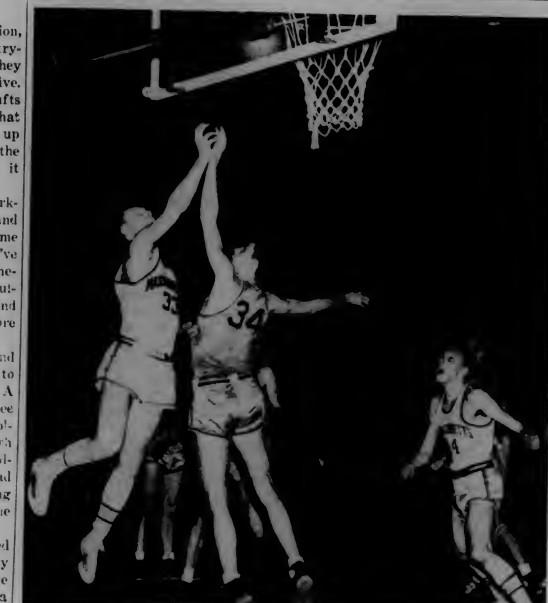
But after a time out for the Jumbos, the visitors had the ball and 28 seconds to score. Many had seen Perry break up a tournament game years ago with his deadly set shot, and that's what he was trying to do Thursday night. With about 8 seconds to go, he set from almost half court, and from some angles it looked as if he had broken up another game. But the ball only hit the front rim, grazed the net, and fell into the waiting arms of Hal Ostman, who, seeing he couldn't stop the shot, had raced in for the rebound. The ball was carried down court to the Mass. basket, and the Jumbos fouled with only one second remaining. Ostman made the shot, (53-51) and when the ball was carried out he took it and threw as far from the Tufts basket as possible, as the whistle blew and ended the contest.

The entire contest was one of outstanding play by all concerned, except, it's sorry to relate, the officials. Any crowd is given to short spurts of boozing, but the prolonged sessions of it attested to the bad calls, and even Jumbo players approached the Massmen on the floor and complained when many of the calls were in the Jumbo favor. The all-seeing eyes that night needed a couple of new pairs of glasses, and in some instances the calls were from so far away that binoculars would have been in order.

Score by periods:

Kappa Sigma 8 6 6 9 -29
Berkshire "B" 4 7 1 9 -21

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JOHNSTON SHOOTING—Bob Johnston fires away for the basket as Bill Prevey rushes up to receive a possible rebound. The Redmen will be behind at this time as they were through most of the game, but it's still that ends well. *Photo by Tagle*

Kappa Sig Wins Crown In I-M Basketball

Prevey Sets Mark
Bill Prevey established the post-Mural Basketball crown last Friday, winding up the season with 13 points in the upset of Tufts to make a total of 265, well ahead of runner-up Ray Gagnon who equaled his last year's mark of 187.

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In the semi-finals of the playoffs played previous to the championship game, Kappa Sigma defeated Butterfield "A," Berkshire "B" drew the birdie, just as it did in the Intra-Mural Football playoffs last fall.

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REDMEN PUCKSTERS LINE UP TO WATCH THE BIRDIE—In the usual order we have (front row) Frydryk, Lahey, Burke, Co-Capt. Toohey, Co-Capt. Rogers, McManus, Graham, Foglia, Levia; (back row) Asst. Mgr. Newell, Kenney, Burns, Ellis, Coach Fitzgerald, Chinian, McGeoch, Roach, Galusha, Mgr. Scolnick.

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Sports

Redmen Wind Up . . .
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Credit To Red Ball

Much credit for the victory must be given to Coach Red Ball who stuck with his starting five, plus two benchmen, Gunn and Bourdeau, even when the affair seemed hopeless. Many another coach would have substituted wildly in order to bring some semblance of order out of the mire, but few could have stuck out the trying evening as he did.

It was as much a personal triumph as it was a team triumph, ending the season in a brilliant dash, and racking up a 6-1 home record. By most standards, the game surpassed the UConn tilt because of the way the Redmen had to overcome to pull it out. As close as the UConn game was, the Redmen were in it all the way.

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Possibilities for next years Varsity squad would probably come from the quintet of Lojko, Smidlo, McGrath,

Mathematics 7

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Zoology 1

Zoology 51

Frosh Lose Finale

Tufts Wins 46-41

The Lordmen although playing a good ball game both defensively and offensively, ended their season on somewhat a sour note when they lost their last contest to the Tufts frosh quintet, 46-41.

The little Indians saw a half-time lead of 22-18 dwindle away to a 53-53 third period tie and then into defeat as Greenberg of Tufts, leading the way for his mates, scored to end his 18 points in the last two periods. The top two scorers for the Indians, Smidlo and Lojko, both left the game in the final canto, the former because of a log bruise suffered when he fell and the latter because of five fouls.

The loss left the team with a record of five wins and seven defeats, with their wins coming over Northeastern, Clark, Wesleyan, Coast Guard and Williams.

Sidelines

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Condition Examination Schedule

Saturday, March 4, 1950

10:00-12:00 A.M.

Art 27

Bacteriology 31

Bacteriology 61

Botany 1

Chemistry 29

Chemistry 51

Chemistry 65

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wide, fresh air in your condition is the best thing in the world. It also helps in clearing the room from the vile odor which your breath leaves. Next, put all your blankets on the bed, tucking them in as tightly as possible. This is a great help later on in the ordeal for it dispels any worries you might have of falling out of the bed when it takes off. This should be done no matter what the weather is, for even on the warmest of nights the excessive warmth will not be noticed. In cold weather it will keep you from catching cold which you happen to be very susceptible to in your condition.

The next step is one which requires tremendous will power and plain guts. Close your eyes and keep them closed, no matter what happens. Sounds simple doesn't it? Permit me to have a chuckle while I think of you doing a few basic maneuvers such as loops, stalls, and tailspins. Varying according to the degree of absorption, it should be about a minute, although it seems like an hour, until you feel yourself gliding down to a smooth landing into dreamland.

Some people say that it is best to lie flat on the bed, discarding the use of a pillow, but, of course, this is just a matter of taste. There are several other innovations which those who are more experienced in this problem effect, but you will find that they will come with practice and experience.

The above treatment cannot be guaranteed, of course, because many individuals lack the inherent qualities which are required. As I mentioned before these are will-power and guts!

UM WEEKLY CALENDAR

Thursday, March 2

MEETING, IZFA, Officers meeting, Hillel House, 6:00
REHEARSAL, Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 6:30
MEETING, Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00
REHEARSAL, Symphony, Skinner Hall, Room 119, 7:30
MEETING, International Relations Club, Chapel, Room C, 7:00
MEETING, Interiversity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15

Friday, March 3

REHEARSAL, Varieties, Chapel Auditorium, 7:00
DANCES, The Abby; S.D.T. Invitation; Student Christian Association, Bowditch Lodge
Saturday, March 4

DANCES, Sigma Delta Tau, Pledge Formal, Munson Memorial; Theta Chi, Open House; Kappa Sigma, Invitation; Sigma Phi Epsilon, Open House; Alpha Gamma Rho, Invitation; S.A.E., Invitation; Lambda Chi, Invitation; Phi Sigma Kappa, Invitation

Monday, March 6

MEETING, IZFA, Executive Board, Hillel House, 8:00
REHEARSAL, Varieties, Bowker Auditorium, 7:00

Tuesday, March 7

MEETING, Student Wives, Skinner Auditorium, 8:00
REHEARSAL, Chorus, Bowker Auditorium, 7:00
MEETING, Senate, Chapel Auditorium, 7:00
MEETING, Index Staff, Chapel, Room C, 6:45

MEETING, Chowder & Marching Society, Stockbridge Hall, Room 114, 7:00
REHEARSAL, Music, Skinner Hall, Room 119
MEETING, Economics Honor Society, Chapel Seminar, 7:00

Wednesday, March 8

MEETING, Women's Student Judiciary Board, Chapel Seminar, 7:00
REHEARSAL, Stockbridge Glee Club, Memorial Hall, 6:30
REHEARSAL, Music, Stockbridge Hall, Room 114, 6:30
MEETING, Student Wives, Textile Group, Skinner Museum, 7:30
MEETING, Chemistry Club, Goessmann Auditorium, 7:30

MEETING, National Student Association, Memorial Hall, Room 1, 7:00
MEETING, Stockbridge Student Council, Memorial Hall, Room 3, 7:00
MEETING, Mids, Physical Education, we can do."

Mass. Conference Of Social Welfare Meet Here Today

The annual regional meeting of the Massachusetts Conference of Social Welfare will open today at the University of Massachusetts. Dr. J. Henry Korsor, professor of sociology, is regional chairman.

A highlight of the afternoon session will be a discussion of the need for a national health program by Dr. Frank Goldman of the Harvard University School of Public Health. Dr. Philip Gamble, dean of the school of Business Administration, will preside.

Dr. Seldon Bacon, director of the section on Alcohol Studies of the Yale University Laboratory of Applied Physiology, will address the night session on "Society Views the Alcoholic." Dr. John Lobb, professor of sociology at Mount Holyoke College, will be chairman of this session.

President Ralph Van Meter of the University will open the conference at 2:30 P.M. Mrs. May Larson, University extension teacher who recently was appointed by Governor Paul Dever to the Massachusetts Committee on the White House Conference, will be the main speaker at this session. Professor Korsor will preside.

A conference dinner will be held at 6:30 P.M. at Butterfield House.

I mustn't forget to mention the alternative to this problem. This is very drastic and I will probably be labeled a radical for saying it, but you could stay in your room and study!

Chi Omega Oldest Campus Sorority

Quite often among the students of a college, there is the feeling that the fraternities and sororities exist for the benefit of a few persons, the members, and that the non-members are not benefited by their presence. We know that this situation does not further, would like to strengthen the relations between the two groups.

Therefore, the COLLEGIAN is presenting this week, the second in a series of articles on the histories of the fraternities and sororities. These articles intended not only to reveal the enlightening and interesting historical facts but will also give the warm and personal highlights of the fraternities and sororities and their accomplishments. Thus we hope to acquaint every student who should be interested, that the COLLEGIAN is not personally biased in the order of selection but that a definite order has been outlined. The histories will alternate between the fraternities and sororities. The first of each of those to become available locally on campus and the first national to enter the University of Massachusetts will take first, and the others will follow in order.

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By Lloyd G. Sinclair

Sororities Rise At U of M
The rise of women to a responsible place in the political and educational world of man was progressing by means of subtle female foibles, and with fury by dynamic lady crusaders, in the late 1920's. The end of Mass. Aggie also were rising to gain recognition. National fraternities were well established at this time on campus while only a few of the more daring damsels had banded together to form a sorority—Delta Omega. From 1941 until now, Chi Omega has been one of the most ac-

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totaling the column with a well-licked pencil.

I took out two twenties and a ten and watched them disappear into the cash register. My wallet felt much less bulky. Must be my imagination I thought, I still have over one hundred and fifty left. I went out and gave the attendant two-sixty-five and threw a dirty look at the gas pump.

I got in the Chevy and buzzed back to campus. I went into the barracks and got ready for a short period of slack time before supper. The door opened and Bill entered.

"Hey you got your check, how about the ten you owe me?"

Yeah, sure Bill. I cautiously opened the wallet and passed him two fives. Thanks. Bill went out singing.

That started a run on the bank, in the next twenty minutes five creditors had roared in and depleted Uncle Sam's munificence to seventy-smackers. I experienced a momentary uplift when Jake came in and paid me the five he owed me. But the sense of elation didn't last.

I ate and watched another buck go down the drain. Going into the life later, I encountered another group of vultures who had heard about my windfall and decided it called for a celebration. In vain I tried to elude their cries of "let's go to Mike's" and "let's have one for the road at Bascars." They carried me off in my own car. The evening and most of the early morning whizzed by, one of my cohorts thoughtfully remembering to provide reserve supplies with my money.

I woke up at 11 the next morning. My mouth had that dark brown taste. I managed to dress and get over to the Snack Bar for a quick black coffee. I reached for my wallet to pay the girl behind the counter. I counted the remains. \$12.45. What a party, I thought.

I picked a sheltered table and lit a cigarette. I wonder if Joe would be good for a touch around Saturday, I mused. I sipped the scalding black Joe. I guess I just wasn't cut out for wealth. Joe came in, looking rather hung over. In fact he looked absolutely defenseless. My spirits lifted. "Hey Joe," I called.

Two Study Fellowships Offered In Contest

Two study fellowships, worth \$775 each, will be awarded as first prize in the International Study Tour Alliance essay contest.

The essay contest is open to all students (without distinction) of accredited American institutions of college or university rank. The theme of the essay must be of a nature that, for its full development, requires field work or study that can be obtained only in Europe. It must contain at least 2,000, but not more than 10,000 words. Entries must consist of two papers. In addition to the essay, the entrant must indicate the way his trip abroad would help further his theme and where in Europe he would go.

March 31 Deadline

The entries must be received bearing a post-mark with a date not later than March 31, 1950. The judges, the Advisory Committee of International Studytour Alliance, Inc., will announce their decisions on April 30, 1950.

The judges, in awarding the prizes, will be guided by the following considerations: the subject matter, the intrinsic merits of the entry, and the qualities of the style.

In addition to the first two prizes, the judges will award five study tour awards, consisting of transportation from New York to Europe and back; and ten Studytour Grants of \$100 each.

All entries and communications should be addressed to: Professor Godfrey S. Delstour, Chairman, Advisory Committee, International Studytour Alliance Inc., 12 East 46th St., New York 17, N.Y.



BRAWNY BABY SITTER—Dick Gleason, quarterback on the varsity football squad, explains the T-formation to young Donna Foothit of Federal Circle as part of the "baby-sitter service" organized by Coach Tommy Eck. This new service, rate 35 cents per hour, is designed to improve the team's standing, both financially and academically.

—Photo by Tague

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and to their many friends on campus and off.

A Truly Democratic Society
Mrs. Charles Fraker has in the following statement about Chi Omega, given to us an excellent reason for the existence of this sorority and perhaps for all the sororities. "First among the reasons for the existence of Chi Omega, or any sorority or fraternity is the human need for belonging; not just the gregarious urge . . . one cannot belong to a dormitory or a dining room . . . but the need for being an active part of an organized entity. In Chi Omega each young woman is a living, working part of the organism. The fraternity, (for some reason the National Organization calls itself by this title) gives the women a chance to choose their own family for congeniality, helpfulness, scholarly ability, or social graces, forming a truly democratic, even though carefully selected society."

There is no doubt but that Chi Omega is an organization which has proved its worth not only to their national sorority but most important of all, to our campus at the University of Massachusetts.

Recess Commission . . .

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Members of the Commission, in addition to Sen. Maher and Rep. Sullivan, include: Senators Whittier, Hogan, and Melley; Representatives Bresnahan, Donahue, Lynch, Mirsky, Tivnan, Margaret Spear, Hull, Towing, Bly, and Putnam.

Phi Sigma Kappa Elections
Phi Sigma Kappa announces the election of the following new officers:

President: Phil Hammond; Vice President: Mac Payne; Secretary: Ken Cutting; Inductor: Bill Este; Treasurer: Al Hodges; Sentinel: Al Monroe; Interfraternity Council Representative: Ray Buckley; House Manager: Bob Webster; Stewart: Bill Leidi.

Hillel News

Last Sunday evening, the Hillel Foundation presented a marriage forum at the Hillel house. Dr. Korzen acted as moderator. The guest speakers included Dr. Calvert Stein, eminent psychiatrist from Springfield; Rabbi Simon Kanovitch of Northampton; and Dr. Peter Merzchak, a well known Amherst physician. The Hillel house was filled to capacity and the forum was a great success. Many interesting topics of marital and pre-marital relationships were presented and discussed. Following the talks questions were accepted from the audience and were answered by the guest speakers. The forum was followed by dancing. A Purim Carnival will be conducted by the Hillel Foundation Sunday, March 5th at the Hillel house beginning at 7:30. The evening will be highlighted by the coronation of Queen Esther, Queen of Purim. Entertainment and dancing will help to make the evening a memorable one. Admission is free, so see you there.



REDMEN READY FOR TOURNAMENT—Coach Red Ball and his starting five discuss strategy for the game with New Britain Teachers College at New Britain tonight. Also scheduled in the N.A.I.B. small college tournament are Tufts and St. Anselm's.

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U of M Chorus Presents Choro-Drama; Unique Adaption of "HMS Pinafore"

When His Majesty's Ship *Pinafore* drops anchor in Bowker Auditorium on the 17th of this month, the old girl will be sporting a brand new set of topsails and a complete overhaul. Gilbert and Sullivan's musical flagship has spent several months in drydock being feverishly renovated and modernized for performance in an entirely unique and very exciting manner. The shifters of the University Chorus have at last laid aside their chisels and paint brushes and the

Pinafore is all set to be sent down the ways. She should cause quite a splash.

When plans were first made to present the operetta, the Chorus was faced with a very vexing problem: Where do we get the money to costume such a huge cast? And where will the money for sets come from? Well, necessity is the mother of invention, and an answer was soon found. Why not, it was asked, outfit just the principals, and leave the entire stage to them? This would rule out prohibitive costs and still keep the entire Chorus very much in the show.

Sound tricky? Here is how it works: The operetta's two acts are divided into several scenes. These scenes end as "blackouts" and occur in most of the spots where excessive dialogue appears. The dialogue has been supplanted by narration, and the narrator (who is reminiscing about his youthful days in the British navy) will serve the double purpose of keeping the audience up to date and preserving the continuity of the show while minor set changes are being made.

The Chorus will be sprawled (7) on the deck of the *Pinafore*, and from their vantage point overlooking the stage will appear as interested spectators. If it still sounds tricky, then you'll just have to grab yourself a ticket and hop over to Bowker to see the Chorus straighten it out.

The cast of the production which Conductor Doric Aliviani has dubbed

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Engineering School Gains In Bid For Nat'l Recognition

A student chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers was formally installed here last night. Following recognition of the Civil Engineering Department curriculum by the Engineers Council for Professional Development last November, the new chapter constitutes another milestone in the growth of the School of Engineering.

Next in line are the mechanical and electrical departments of the School, which will be examined by the E.C.P.D. in April. Their findings will be made known in October or November.

The installation took place in Gunn Laboratory with Richard Homewood, retiring president of the now non-existent Civil Engineering Club, as master of ceremonies. The principle speaker was Albert Haerlein, vice-president of the National Society of Civil Engineers. He was followed by Robert H. Dodds, Associate Editor of *Engineering News-Record*, who spoke on the functions and organization of the local chapter.

The chapter charter presentation was made by Harold L. Blakeslee, Director of the Society of New Haven, Conn. Other dignitaries included Don P. Reynolds, Asst. Secretary of the New York Society, Ralph I. Mc-

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Ballmen Face Top Teams In New England Tourney

Topping off one of their best seasons in recent years, the UM quintet has been given a berth in the second annual New Britain State Teachers tourney, which opens tonight in New Britain. The UM basketeers, who ended the season with an 8-9 record, were given the bid on the strength of their upset victory over Tufts on Feb. 23.

The Redmen entered that tilt a definite underdog but handed the Tufts five a 53-51 setback, snapping the Tufts win streak at twelve straight. After their second game Boston College had been the only club to turn the trick on the Jumbos until the UM game.

The tourney, with representatives also from Tufts and St. Anselm, will be two day elimination affair, with the winners representing New Britain in the national play-offs at Kansas City Mar. 12-13. New Britain's of the Redmen tonight, is the de-

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Annual Conference On Recreation Here Mar. 23, 24, 25

The U of M will host the delegates of the Annual Recreation Conference, which is to be held on campus March 23, 24, 25. Volunteer and professional leaders of organizations and agencies interested in recreation will attend.

The conference will be launched Thursday morning at Skinner Auditorium where the representatives will register and get acquainted. The remainder of the morning will be devoted to discussions on the theme of the conference; "Recreation—An Essential in Today's Living." The discussion leader will be Mr. Robert Rutherford, executive secretary, Division Informal Education, Recreation and Group Work, Greater Boston Community Council. Most of the discussion will deal with recreation facilities for children.

The morning activities will be followed by progress reports luncheons at Butterfield and Greenough Cafeterias. The program for the afternoon will include a round table discussion for board members and a meeting of combined eastern and western Massachusetts Recreation Associations. Mrs. Philip Fox, Northampton Recreation Commission Chairman will be chairman for the committee which will discuss state legislation and recreation leadership standards.

If you see a fraternity man glancing nervously behind him as he walks along, it's just because he's afraid of going for an unexpected ride. In several of the fraternity houses, members have developed the very unmanly habit of eating with their fingers. As a coincidence, a number of the pledges are selling silverware very cheap these days.

Dinner Planned
A general conference dinner is being planned for Thursday evening at the First Congregational Church in Amherst. Among the prominent speakers expected to attend are F. Edward Allen, Park and Recreation Commissioner of New York; and Charles R. Brightbill, president of the American Recreation Society, and Executive Secretary of the President's committee on religion and welfare in the

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value service from each pledge. However, some of the old standbys are still being used.
Tau Epsilon Phi has sent some unfortunate pledges to secure by hook or crook some personal articles of clothing from girls. Other pledges find themselves subjected to sudden fits in the middle of the night by sadistic brothers wielding paddles. However, the pledges aren't just sitting and taking it.

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Other ideas also were brought into

use for the first time this year. For example, Phi Sigma Kappa, deciding

that the girls at Smith needed some cheering up, sent a group of pledges over to Smith to wait on tables.

Lambda Chi Alpha, getting lazy in their old age, is now getting personal

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Leaders Will Visit

After the tea the following discussion leaders will visit various

houses on campus: the Rev. John Co-

burn, Chaplain, Amherst College; the

Rev. William Cole, Chaplain, Smith

College; the Rev. Chalmers Coe, First Congregational Church;

the Rev. Spencer Parsons, minister to Baptist Students at Harvard; the Rev. Levering Rev-

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RE: BRICKBATTING

Back in the days when your present editor was a freshman, and the campus newspaper was a rather conservative organ which everyone filed away in drawers, but few actually read, the Collegian introduced a column called "Bouquets and Brickbats", and invited the students to submit their opinions, pro and con, on any campus situation. The immediate response was negligible. After a time, however, the letters began to come in regularly each week, so that one or two appeared in every issue.

It was noted at that time most of the letters tended toward the con side of the picture, probably because when people are satisfied they rarely exert themselves to write letters about it. At any rate, since the "Bouquets" were definitely lacking, the word was dropped from the title and the column became simply "Brickbats". Thus it remained until the close of last semester, when a change in makeup made necessary the use of the longer title "Letters to the Editor."

In its rather abbreviated history, until now, the column has had a response that was adequate, if far from overwhelming. Yet it has always been the hope of the Collegian to inject, through its pages, an element of controversy into the student body, and thus to bring about a mass letter-writing movement, pro and con.

Apparently we have succeeded. Whether because of recent renovations, the poor quality of the writing in the paper, or the imagined presence of so-called "yellow journalism", the final tally on "Letters to the Editor" this week was eleven, an astonishingly large figure in comparison with those of any previous weeks.

The Collegian has made it a policy to print all such letters which are submitted, provided they are accompanied by a valid signature. This week, however, our limited space permitted the utilization of only seven of the brickbats (a few were in the nature of bouquets), despite the fact that we set aside two pages instead of the usual one. We regret this situation, but wish to assure the writers of the remaining four letters that their efforts will be printed as soon as space permits.

We would like to reassert, at this time, that anyone connected with the University is privileged to submit a letter to the column, and to have that letter printed provided it is within the bounds imposed by standards of good taste.

Despite the fact that the majority of the letters have been uncomplimentary, the Collegian is gratified at any student response to the material contained in its pages. Constructive criticism is invaluable, and, at the least, these letters prove that our weekly humble efforts do not go unread.

RECOGNITION FOR REDMEN

For many a year, this University has been turning out varsity teams in various sports—teams which have mechanically gone through their regular seasons, producing no spectacular results, and finally retiring into blessed anonymity. So consistent has been this pattern of events, that even a greatly improved eight-nine record from this year's basketball team brought no great alarm from the student body. Then, electrifyingly, came an announcement in the daily newspapers that the University of Massachusetts had been selected to take part in the NAIB Small College tournament in New Britain. To say that we are proud of this recognition which has come to our Redmen would be an understatement. Suffice to say, for the present, that the encouragement and best wishes of the entire University travel with the team to Connecticut on Thursday and Friday nights.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

OVERLOOKING THINGS

March 2, 1950

An Open Letter to Mr. Russ Broude:

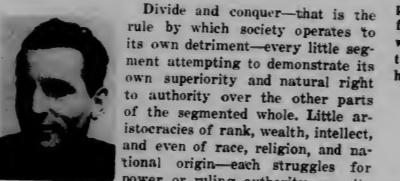
needed most, fights his heart out and does everything but the scoring. However when scoring he does do, it is in the clutch and that is where it counts the most. You for some unexplainable reason, seem to have forgotten or perhaps purposely neglected this aspect of our team.

I am writing in regard to your article in the March 2nd edition of the Collegian. I think of none other than Bob "Gumdrops" Johnston. In a layman's opinion, he is as valuable to the U of M team as Joe Stalin is to the Communists. He is a big lovable Swede with a million dollar personality. A good athlete, a true sportsman, and a credit to our university.

Your article does justice to boys like Capt. Gagnon, Bill Prevey and Ed McCauley. They are the scoring punch of the team and naturally get most of the publicity. But tell me, dear Russ, have you ever noticed who usually sets up the scoring? Didn't you ever notice who fights the hardest under the net and gets the larger percent of the rebounds? I need not explain to you an expert, about the values of a "workhorse". He is the guy who is always around when

Kaleidoscope

by Ed Craft



Ed Craft

Divide and conquer—that is the rule by which society operates to its own detriment—every little segment attempting to demonstrate its own superiority and natural right to authority over the other parts of the segmented whole. Little aristocracies of rank, wealth, intellect, and even of race, religion, and national origin—each struggles for power or ruling authority over its competitors, each seeks to promote its own selfish interests, and each cries, "unfair", when another gains momentary advantage. How noble are these aristocrats who prefer to make murderers of themselves, to save humanity from itself.

And just who should rule, since it is quickly discovered that all men "belong" in one or more of such categories?

As democracy is conceived in these United States, under a capitalistic economy and with little governmental support to educational systems at any level, it is incredible that anyone should believe that, as a political system, our democracy even closely approximates democracy as conceived in a more ideal and still workable form. To be properly understood, democracy must be recognized as a living and growing organism, living and growing in direct proportion to the growth and development of the society which it guards. It is not an ethereal or ephemeral thing, but rather, is to be looked upon as a machine, capable of improvement, with which imperfect men labor to guard and guide a society which will produce a maximum amount of satisfaction of their wants with a minimum of sacrifice of their personal liberty.

That one animal, with reason, should feel a dire compulsion, or still worse, a license, to inflict the imperfections of his mind on another animal with reason, as detectable an anomaly as has ever been conceived. Even the compounded mentalities of an intellectual aggregate is inconceivable when every known aspect of the human mental potential has been investigated, and the part which emotion plays in the formulation of any attitude has been thoroughly appreciated—as a guide such a regime is possible, as a ruling authority, it is unthinkable.

When we realize that there is an inherent potential for both good and evil in any individual, we fully appreciate that identical proportions of good and evil will exist in any form of government (government being the institutionalized opinions of a society's ruling authority). When we recognize, further, that evil cannot be legislated out of any society, then we come to the more sobering conclusion that it must be schooled out. It must be in the schooling process (both formal education and governmental practice) that improvement of individual intelligence will be wrought—through that improvement, necessarily will be slow and tedious.

From the foregoing, we are led to conclude that two steps, of initial importance, must be taken to foster a more satisfactory and workable form of democratic government. The first should be to make both the fields of education and government more attractive to the more competent type of individual, by offering greater remuneration and by instilling a sense of honor with respect to those offices that is, at present, the condition. The second step is to eradicate, as completely as possible, the artificialities which divide us into undesirable and opposing camps, and further, to make us realize that there is both a good and an evil potential in every individual, and that it is the interplay which exists between the two elements which renders society the quality of progressiveness with a quality of stability.

While instituting such a broad program, it is vitally necessary that observance be taken of the fact that searchers after authority are, most generally, seekers after personal gain, in spite of protestations to the contrary. Thus it is that only by continually improving our present system of "checks and balances" will we save ourselves from complete divestment of authority, and grant it over, willingly or otherwise to a selfish interest—that is, an interest more selfish than "the greatest good for the greatest number."

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The sense of satisfaction that one gets in wearing a suit by Walsh cannot be measured in dollars and cents but only in sense, for if you buy clothes, buy good clothes. In the end the cost is less and the satisfaction much greater.

COMMON SENSE

HOPEFULLY

March 3, 1950

glad to rectify our error if it is made known to us.

The COLLEGIAN is always appreciative of constructive criticism, but it is even more appreciative of aid in putting criticism into actual use. If Mr. Rose knows of anyone who can do a better job of putting out a college newspaper while attending five classes and getting in lead a semblance of the proper amount of sleep and food, we sincerely hope that he will send that person to us. And we feel that Mr. Rose has been just the slightest bit unfair in saying that the new staff has done "nothing" to improve the COLLEGIAN.

In any event, we thank Mr. Rose for signing his letter "Hopefully."

THOMAS F. WALSH

College Outfitter

More than a Toggery... A College Institution

Monologue in a N. H. Hospital

From The Brickyard

Bruce T. Bowens

Why must she look at you so? Those eyes! Through streaks of agony gleams a steady prayer. "Surely", she seems to be saying, "you, who hold the key to peace, will not deny it to me. You could not be so cruel!"

But how can you? They say you have no right. They may hang you for your excess of compassion. It is not good to be so full of pity. Drive pity out and fill the void with the sanctimonious pride. At all odds, be right in the eyes of men even though wrong with your own soul. The milk of human kindness can turn to bitter gall.

If you can do it, you cannot live with them anymore. You know, the code, good, bad or indifferent, but the code to the letter—that's their God. But if you don't do it, how can you live with yourself? The unanswered prayer of those burning eyes will leave you no peace.

What is life anyway? They say you have no right. They may hang you for your excess of compassion. It is not good to be so full of pity. Drive pity out and fill the void with the sanctimonious pride. At all odds, be right in the eyes of men even though wrong with your own soul.

It is gratifying each week to note a feature on "Mike's", "Grandy's", or "Barrie's", and the results of the latest bridge tournament. I also enjoy reading who should be elected captain of each team as it holds its election. Apparently, the players are incapable of this act.

If it is the whim of the Editor to dignify this letter with an answer, I hope that it will be done by an Editor with a more comprehensive vocabulary than the one who answered "Ike" Smith's note.

With the deepest respect,

Benn Merritt '50

Editor's Note: We regret that, purely by accident, the reviewer's by-line was omitted on the FOLIES article last week. In connection with the story, we should like to make clear that it is the duty of a COLLEGIAN reviewer to evaluate the performance by his own criteria and then criticize or comment as he sees fit. As long as his review is written within the bounds imposed by the standards of good taste, you will find it printed, unabridged, in the COLLEGIAN. In regard to the incompetence, please see the Editor's note accompanying the following letter.

1.

In reply to the query about the FOLIES review—we wonder if Mr. Rose realizes that the COLLEGIAN, also, has a working staff composed entirely of amateur talent. We can hardly claim to be professionals, yet we are apparently expected to present a professional review (which, by the way, would probably have been more caustic than the one which we printed) of a show which barely justified the assigning of a reporter to cover it. We do try to meet as many professional standards as we find it possible to approach, and with that goal we cannot, you must agree, attempt hypocrisy.

2.

As regards the "Feature" writer in Mr. Rose's next query—Russ Broude, at whom the remark was obviously directed, is commissioned by the COLLEGIAN to write a weekly column containing his opinions on athletics and athletes at the University. In such a capacity Mr. Broude is, we believe, entirely justified in voicing his ideas on the subject of electing varsity sports captains. After all, his is only one voice among many, and it must be realized that, on the actual ball, Mr. Broude has no vote.

3.

Combining the inquiries about track and field stories—we would appreciate it if Mr. Rose would look more closely at his COLLEGIANs of the past few months. Specifically, in regard to hockey, we suggest that he note the issue of February 22, page 4, to be exact, which ran the UM defeat of Holy Cross, in hockey, as the lead sports story for the week.

4.

Concerning the swimming team—we sincerely regret the Editor's note which, through an error, appeared with the letter printed in the March 2 issue. It is to the sarcastic remarks, has the swimming team, frankly, deserved more?

5.

Re: splashy front page—since Mr. Rose so kindly states that he doesn't expect immediate change could he not, perhaps, consider our new front page layout as a step in the right direction? Any week now we may be surprised to find that the renovation has spread to the inside pages.

We are curious to know what departments, specifically, Mr. Rose feels we have boycotted. We assure him that it has not been intentional, and we will be only too

glad to rectify any error.

Sincerely,

Bobby Kinghorn

International Club

The International Club will present a program on Canada at 7:30 P.M. Tuesday, March 14 at Skinner Auditorium. Music and folk dances of both the French and English sections of the population are scheduled for presentation.

Canadian students from Smith, Mount Holyoke, and Amherst College will participate. All programs presented by the International Club are the result of cooperative effort among the international student groups of the three colleges and the university.

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Pinball Addicts At Local Bistros Are A Study In Personality Types

by Roger Mallory, Jr.

All through the generations man has been racking his brain to find some inexpensive amusement which he can help to redistribute the national income more in his direction. Canfield did it with his solitaire; Smith did it with his cough drops; and Coney did it with his pinball machine. It is a sort of combination between a compometer and Times Square—although it makes more noise than both of them put together.

Clipper Button Blues

This many-eyed monster, with the steel jaws that snap up all available coins, comes in many variations, all of which are devoted to the same mercenary purpose. The most popular breed is the one with a little flipper button on each side—a button which fascinates the zealot and entices the novice. In the last few months the Amherst pinball world has been captured by the new bowling machines. They work on the same basis as bowling alleys and eat dimes rather than nickels. The only apparent advantage in this criter is that it eats faster, thus not prolonging the agony of dissipation.

No Dud Saroyan's

Probably the most classic example in all pinball history appears in Saroyan's *The Time of Your Life*. It is

Religious Embassy . . .

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nolds, Free Church, Andover; the Rev. Ben Andrews, First Church, Northampton; the Rev. Edwin Roomey, Minister to Episcopal Students at U. of Mass.; the Rev. George Beilby, Minister to Congregational students at Williams College; the Rev. Henry Wolk, Minister to Lutheran Students in New England; Dr. Whittaker Denninger, Department of Philosophy, Springfield College; Dr. Paul Williams, Department of Religion, Mt. Holyoke; the Rev. Howard Boardman, North Amherst; the Rev. Philip Steinmetz, Ashfield; Mr. Robert Francis, poet and novelist, Amherst; Dean Eugene Wilson, Amherst College; Mrs. Sydney Cooke, Warden, Smith College; Dr. William Ross, U. of Mass.; Dr. Neal DeNood, Smith College.

Besides the discussions going on in the various houses, there will be a special discussion for faculty members at the Faculty Club led by the Rev. William Cole, Chaplain at Smith College, on "The Crisis in Our Universities." And on Thursday evening members of the Graduate Club will sit in for a talkfest with the poet Robert Francis.

The Embassy program is open to all students and faculty.

Talk on Jim Crow, So. Gov't Slated

"The Negro and Southern Politics" will be discussed Wednesday, March 15 at 7:30, in Room C of Old Chapel at a meeting which will be held under the auspices of the Political Union. Dr. William Mitchell, of the department of Political Science and recently of the University of Virginia, and Mr. Edward Driver of the department of Sociology, will address the gathering. All those interested in this controversial subject are invited to attend.

See You At New Britain

I.M. Softball Notice

Managers of prospective Intramural softball teams are once again urged to contact Sid Kaufman of the Athletic Department. Softball competition is expected to be keen this year as it was last spring when teams all the way from Butterfield Frosh to the Diaper Daddies kept the diamonds busy every night.

CORRECTION

The Newman Club Meeting scheduled for tonight, March 9, has been postponed because of the Novena. Members are urged to attend Novena services in place of the meeting. The next meeting will be Thursday, March 16, in O. C. Auditorium at 7:15 p.m.

Q.T.V. Is Only Local Fraternity on U of M Campus

This is the third in the History Series of the Fraternities and Sororities on campus. It is the purpose of these articles to acquaint the independents with not only the Fraternities' and Sororities' historical background but also our University. Thus, the Collegian hopes to foster a better understanding between the Independents and the Fraternities and Sororities.

by Lloyd E. Sinclair

Secret Society in 1869

The class of '73 were probably anticipating great things at Massachusetts Agriculture College as they stopped to water their horses in the "thriving village of Amherst" in the fall of 1869. However, their anticipation would have been increased had they been informed, before making the long trek to Western Massachusetts, that a new Secret Society was now organized on the campus. The secret society or Fraternity as they are now called was Q.T.V., established on May 12, 1869 at South College. It is generally known that the letters Q.T.V. are the initials of the fraternity's motto. However, this motto is secret and known only by the initiated.

In most cases the only prize is a couple free games, and for most players this is adequate. There seem to be two types of players: the introvert and the extrovert. The extrovert walks boldly in, changes a half dollar to nickels, and slaps them into the machine. Quite the opposite to this is the introvert, who shyly sneaks over to the coin slot and surreptitiously fumbles for his single nickel.

Bold and shy, intellectual and dunces, student and professor—all deposit the nickel sooner or later. In fact it is even rumored that Q.T.V. went

to a very busy pinball machine hidden in a South College.

Film Poll Puts Music, Comedy At Top of List

by Bill Tague

Last Tuesday night the Campus Varieties had their first rehearsal. The time was supposed to be 7:00 o'clock and the place Old Chapel Auditorium. Both of these items must have been changed since there were only seven girls in Bowker when I showed up at 7:30. This means everything was normal.

One individual was stretched out on some chairs on the stage reading Varsity magazine with obvious relish. A girl was knitting something or other out of yarn. There was someone at the piano who claimed he never had lessons, and he seemed to be telling the truth. The other four were singing *Walking in a Winter Wonderland* with pretty good harmony, it seemed to me.

One hour later about 25 people were assembled and the rehearsal began to roll. Gin Leceese and five others retired to the rear of the audience. The movie itself is not the only factor involved. There are favorite times to go—usually Friday or Sunday—and, in addition to the admission price, the average student needs a nickel or dime for candy or popcorn. When asked to mark on movies the students gave widely different comments:

Sally Brown '53: "Movie advertising is misleading, but I like movies dealing with social problems, such as Gentlemen's Agreement and Johnny Belinda."

Fred Cole '52: "I like musical comedies; when I go off I want to have fun!"

Jean Hazelton '52: "At home I like intellectual movies, but up here I like funny movies."

Boyd Allen '51: "I like British pictures, but after a few dimies I like like lots of gun smoke!"

Alice Chorobanian '51: "I enjoy comedies, like Dear Wife, but it depends on the mood I'm in."

Jack Sullivan '51: "When they hold off the tax on movies, I'll go."

Walt Cahill '50: "Like good clean comedy, like Tom and Jerry—the cartoon, not the drink!"

Florida colleges feature intellectual acrobatics like aquaplaning and golf. Western colleges go big for courses such as larist tossing and chuck wagons on cooking.

Well, Why Not?

Why not, in view of this scholastic blow-out that is occurring over the rest of the nation, inaugurate a few gut courses of our own here in the East? The possibilities are legion.

The first thought that comes to the minds of the majority of planners is—GRASSING!!! However, cooler heads will prevail in the belief that this is one subject in which no student at the University of Massachusetts needs instruction. Therefore we must look to fields in which instinct has not beaten educators to the punch!

Many students would welcome a course in snow sculpturing. This might bear a little careful consideration. Just think of the thousands of people who would visit our campus every year to view sculpture which would be the products of an entire semester's organized preparation. Certainly the fame of our fair campus would soar many leagues beyond the confines of this small area. What publicity!!

Practical Seminars
Among the more practical courses which might be offered is a pathfinding and orientation seminar on finding your way through some of the more notorious of our larger cities. I have lived in a suburb of Boston all my life, and at times I still find myself floundering aimlessly through the labyrinth of cow paths which make up the Back Bay. It is very discouraging to board a trolley marked Braves Field and wind up at the Museum of Natural History.

Many of my journalistic colleagues would rejoice at the inauguration of a course extolling the virtues and instructing in the judicious use of The Wall Beverage. Many a mental crack has been cemented by this greatest of all healers, and its amazing powers of spirit-lifting should, by all rights, be made known to everyone.

We might even offer a course in the education of our own fair New England and its glorious heritage. The frantic mousing that Texans run off concerning their state is enough to make any veteran who took Infantry Basic there violently ill. Perhaps, with a course like this under our belts, we could meet the garrulous Texan on his own terms and baffle him to ignominious defeat.

Maple Syrup and Finance
There are dozens of other possibilities. How about a course in maple syrup producing? Or a course in low finance (How to exist on two dollars a week)?

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national and started a chapter at the Univ. of Maine. In the next few years, Chapters were added at Boston, U. of New Hampshire, Pennsylvania State College, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, and Cornell. The Fraternity was incorporated in 1890, a Grand Lodge was organized to rule over all the Q.T.V. chapters and the chapter on campus was given the charter as mother chapter.

The sight of Percheron horses and Southdown sheep grazing near the banks of the college pond in the early 1900's may have been relaxing to the Mass. Aggie students going to and from classes, but this scene also exemplified the somewhat peaceful and conservative nature of the college. Q.T.V. was no exception and when the other Q.T.V. chapters insisted on granting out new charters as fast as possible, the chapter here refused. The difference in opinions between Amherst Q.T.V. and the rest of the chapters finally resulted in the withdrawal of Amherst Q.T.V. in 1902 to become a local chapter. The remainder of the chapters remained local on joined a national fraternity.

The tract of land where Federal Circle is now located was purchased by Q.T.V. about 1900 with the intention of someday building their permanent home there. The land was sold to the ever expanding college; however, in 1909, the meetings of Q.T.V. had been held in either South or North College until 1895-96, when they rented their first house. The members moved into their present home in 1917 with the purchase of the Fearing Estate on North Pleasant Street.

Set back from the road with an open lawn in front Q.T.V.'s home possesses the charm to attract people's attention, not as a fine brick mansion but, as a friendly house inviting casual guests! The house has been modernized many times during the past 33 years but without losing its comfortable roomy character so necessary to a fraternity.

The arrangement of rooms is such that the spacious central hall and two flanking living rooms may be opened into a large area for general dancing. These rooms plus the dining, kitchen, one large study and cooks room make up the first floor of the house. The seven rooms on the second floor are used as study rooms each of which have traditional names. "The Nursery" (one member kept his baby here during the big dance nights), "The Opium Den, The Bar, The President's Office, No Man's Land, Palm Beach, and the Upper Office." The third floor is used for sleeping quarters and I told it is usually referred to as "The Experimental Wind Tunnel." The pride of Q.T.V. and rightly so is the new recreation room built in the basement last fall. The setting of the room with fish nets hung from the ceiling, staircase and rough tables and stools quickly gives the atmosphere of some hidden away places near the waterfront.

80th Anniversary
During the 2nd World War, the house was turned over to the administration and was used as a girl's dormitory. Q.T.V. did not function again until the spring of 1945 when an Alumnae Action Chapter was formed to conduct pledging and get the fraternity back on its feet. The post 2nd World War years soon found Q.T.V. back to normal again and holding their annual social affairs with as much spirit as before. Their House Formal in May, Costume Party during Greek Week, Alumni Banquet in April, Xmas Party and Homecoming Dance are once again among the leading social affairs on campus. Not content with these special affairs, Q.T.V. has held a small (?) party every other weekend. The event of 1949 for Q.T.V. was their 80th Anniversary Celebration in the Spring. *Continued on page 7*

Hillel Club
Last Sunday night, the Hillel Foundation presented a Purim Festival at the Hillel House. The evening was featured by the picking of Miss Frances Blank as Queen Esther, Queen of Purim. Another highlight of the program was a humorous skit presented by the Hillel dramatic troupe. Dancing and refreshments helped to make the evening a memorable one for all.

Next Friday night, March 10, a student discussion group led by Hormes Birnbaum, a Persian graduate student, will discuss "Bahai—The World Faith." Preceding the discussion will be the usual Friday night services.

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F. M. THOMPSON & SON

Lost

LOST: A silver "Norma" four-color mechanical pencil, on Feb. 23 in the vicinity of Mills House or in the Library. Finder please return to the Alumni Office in Mem Hall. Reward is offered.



Senate Sponsors Blood Drive

by Gin Leceese

As Fran Lucier put it, "We're not fooling. We're out for your blood." Once again, the Senate is sponsoring a blood drive. It is their job to ferret out each last blood corpuscle for this world cause. Although some members hesitated giving approval at first, (probably through lack of desire to head the bleeding process) the Senate voted to take on the job by a committee appointed outside of the Senate.

With spring approaching, our students' fancies turn to the Library Lawn. Rave Tarr requested that in order to preserve the lawns which are now already being cut across, signs be put up prohibiting passage. May I suggest "No grass for the grass mass." Collegian help was suggested to relieve this problem.

The problem of the North Pleasant Street Speedaway was raised. Cars are now going along that highway at 40 or more miles an hour, endangering the lives of all those walking dead with eight o'clock classes. Is Tom being too lenient?

An announcement was made of the sale of tickets for the Basketball games at the Cage, \$7.50 each. Buses will be hired if enough tickets are sold.

The last minutes of the meeting were spent in a discussion as to whom had sent Dean Hopkins the prettiest get-well card last week when he was ill.

Pinafore . . .

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a "Choro-Drama," includes Lorna Wildon, Ernie Nelson, Howard Galley, Ann and Jane MacElroy, Jim Patterson, Jimmy Chapman, James Powers, Ann Lundgren, Margie Nelson and Lucia Pierce. Bert Narbo will be the narrator.

Sets are being designed under the direction of Bob Boland who is also collaborating with Stage Manager Howard Galley on the script adaptation. The show will be presented at Bowker Auditorium Friday and Saturday, March 17th and 18th, and tickets will go on sale any day now. Admission is sixty cents and there will be no reserved seats.

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Never before in peacetime has there been such an opportunity for college-trained men and women to obtain commissions in the U.S. Air Force. If you are interested in a non-flying career in aviation, ask for information about Officer Candidates School.

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"NEXT TO GRANDY'S"

YOU CAN GET YOUR CHECKS CASHED AT THE

Q.T.V. . .

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of that year. The celebration lasted a week and included dances, dinners and parties held almost continuously!

With eighty years behind Q.T.V., it is only to be expected as is true with all organizations that they would have their good years and their mediocre years. With the exception of the present time when Q.T.V. is rising to new heights the peak years of the fraternity were during the late thirties. During these years, Q.T.V. won trophies in the Interfraternity Competition. This competition includes football, basketball, and softball games, Skits, Fraternity Sings and Snow Sculptures. Q.T.V. won third in 36-37, first in 37-38, and second in 38-39. In 1949 Q.T.V. placed second in scholastic averages, an excellent sign that they are headed for more "top" years.

The officers of Q.T.V. for 1949-50 worked zealously to insure Q.T.V. of a place among the leading fraternities. These men have started the "ball rolling." President, Martin Manning; Vice Pres., Harry Chicklakis (Big Greek); Corres. Sec., James Manuel (Little Greek); Recorder, D. Kenneth Morrison; and Treas., Richard Resnic (The Ruffian). Taking over for next year, are Pres., Henry Fellows; Vice Pres., Paul Grady (Knuckles); Corres. Sec., Edward Parsons; Recorder, Vincent Roch (Leont Hart); and Treas., Gilbert Robery (The Ruffy). The nicknames are courtesy of a person who also has worked, although perhaps unknowingly, to instill a high spirit into the group. This person is Fred Roach alias the Commendee of Q.T.V., whose clever imitations of fellow members and faculty personnel has never failed to bring forth a laugh from the group. Take Tex's hat off Fred and collect your applause!

Present adviser of Q.T.V. is William B. Esselin, Jr., Assoc. Prof. of Food Tech, who just recently returned to Q.T.V. in that capacity and has been a dependable source of aid to the fraternity. There's always a woman in the picture and aside from the "Queens" of the Q.T.V. members, there is one woman who is a real part of life in the Q.T.V. house. This is Mrs. Jerome, cook and mother to the 26 members living at the house.

Q.T.V. has established itself on our campus as solidly as any group possibly could. But it is not just because they have been established for a long time. Q.T.V. has recognized that to become a real part of any large group such as the university they must work wholeheartedly with every group and with all the individuals concerned.

J. F. Sheedy* Switched to Wildroot Cream-Oil
Because He Flunked The Finger Nail Test

THIS IS no "yoke", son. If people have been calling you egghead because your hair looks soft-boiled, here's eggsactly what to do. Get busy with popular Wildroot Cream-Oil hair tonic. It grooms your hair neatly and naturally without that gooey look. Relieves annoying dryness and removes loose, ugly dandruff. Helps you pass the Fingernail Test! Wildroot Cream-Oil is non-alcoholic... contains soothing Lanolin. Get a tube or bottle of Wildroot Cream-Oil at any drug or toilet goods counter today. Always ask your barber for a professional application. (Better be hard-boiled with your roommate—keep egging him to get some Wildroot Cream-Oil of his own. It's tops for keeping your sunny side up!) * of 32 Burroughs Drive, Snyder, N.Y.

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Varieties . . .

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later and a new group began another skit. The rehearsal was going full blast now. Laura Levine, who with Gin Leccese is co-director of the show, appeared and had a short conference with Bob Boland and Joan Hartley, who is featured as a dancer. These three went to room 114 shortly afterward for a quick run through of Miss Hartley's dance. From my point of view she was sensational, even for a first rehearsal. I've seen the Red Shoes and consequently I am qualified to say this.

At this first rehearsal everyone was full of enthusiasm of one sort or another. The singular apathetic confusion and cynicism, which often prevails in the preliminary work of productions of this type, appeared to be entirely lacking. I predict that this enthusiasm, together with the obvious talent of the performers, directors, and stage crew, will make a fine evening of music and dancing for all.

Cigarettes will be furnished by the Philip Morris Company.

I.F.C.

One of the functions of the I.F.C. is the support of the Chowder and Marching society chorus. This group has performed with notable success during the past semester but now it is in need of additional singers. Any one interested please contact a C. and M. member of the I.F.C.

Plans are rapidly being completed for the events for Greek Week, April 10 to 15.

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FRAT NOTES

Tau Pi Chapter of Tau Epsilon Phi will light twelve candles this week to celebrate its twelfth year on this campus.

The weekend will get started with a house dance Friday, March 10, at the chapter house. There are also plans to dedicate a newly furnished room in the basement which is being done as a pledge project.

The annual initiation of pledges will take place Saturday afternoon at Skinner Auditorium at 2:00 o'clock. The present pledge group will be taken in at this time as brothers.

The highlight of the weekend will be the Annual Banquet and Ball to be held Saturday evening at the Roger Smith Hotel in Holyoke, Mass. Many guests from the faculty, student body, and alumni will be present along with all the active brothers of the chapter. Awards will also be presented at the affair and there will be a fine evening of music and dancing for all.

Cigarettes will be furnished by the Philip Morris Company.

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Lambda Chi Alpha

Activities at Lambda Chi are now at full swing. This week the members are having "Character Building Week" for their pledges. The following week starting on Monday, March 13, about 15 pledges are expected to be initiated into Lambda Chi. This initiation will be a big affair in the history of the local chapter for the 500th member will be among them. At present there are 491 members in Gamma chapter of Lambda Chi. On Sat., March 25, the annual Founders Day Banquet will be held at Bloody Brook Inn in South Deerfield. Many alumni are expected to attend.

Sigma Phi Epsilon
The Sig Eps have been taking a breather after the Winter Carnival weekend during which they won first prize for the motif party on a nautical theme. The past two Saturday evenings have seen quiet parties at the house. Entertainment has been provided by the "Gaucho's," several pledges, Neil Gayley of Smith, and Liz Silsby of Mt. Holyoke.

Social chairman, Harvey Segal received a letter from Dr. Helmuth complementing Sig Ep on the fine parties he has given this year.

Tau Epsilon Phi
T.E.P. is proud to announce the pledging of Walter O'Connell, '50.

Civil Engineering . . .

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Corkindale, Contact Member for the Local Chapter, and Earle F. Littleton, See Northeast Section of the Society.

Societies of a similar nature for mechanical and electrical engineering students are the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, and the American Institute of Electrical Engineers. These organizations will arise out of the present clubs when and if their corresponding departments are accredited.

National Societies Beneficial

According to Dean Marston, these national societies benefit their local chapters by aiding in securing outstanding speakers, and by maintaining film libraries for meetings. In this respect, Dean Marston feels, the field of engineering is better organized than home economics or business administration, for example.

National Education Leaders To Speak

National leaders in the field of nature education will speak at the three-day Recreation Conference at the University of Massachusetts, March 23, 24 and 25, it was announced by Chairman William G. Vinal, head of the nature section.

Dr. William LeRoy Black, extension service supervisor of the Education Division at Carnegie Institute, will open the Thursday, March 23 session with a talk on educational problems encountered with blind, deaf and dumb children. He will also preside over the afternoon session, March 24, and lead a demonstration field trip.

Alpha Lambda Chi held a huge beer party in conjunction with their neighbors, Phi Pi. Guest of honor was Dean of Men "Hell an' Gone" Hurtis who was heard to remark as the Schlitz flowed over the floor, "It's about time that the administration Censored."

Down the street, Theta Epsilon Phi was running another of their famous Vice dances with the burlesque queens from Tau Delta Sigma as guests. As the cherry wine rapidly disappeared so did the people. Upon investigation, reporter found roulette wheels and dice games carrying on in full force in the gamblers' downstairs. Behind the roulette wheel, some guy named Hachimer was yelling "Place your bets!" In another corner a sharp-eyed reporter from the Hearst Journal was getting facts to support his claim that 2% of the students were

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Twitch Makes Test Of UM Intelligence In Secret Move

The administration revealed last night that Quiverlip L. Twitch of the Education Department, has spent the last three weeks taking surreptitious I.Q. tests of a cross-section of the student body, and has come up with some rather startling results.

According to Mr. Twitch's findings 43% of the male students would find stiff competition in obtaining a WPA position. Of the females, 37% would do well to train their sights on a sales position with the Kresge people. In the next category Mr. Twitch's figures place some 21% of the males and 26% of the females. These students have definite possibilities, and should transfer immediately to a qualified trade school for training in brick-laying, stavedoring, or bird-house construction. For the ladies he suggests waitressing, book-binding, the Old Howard chorus, or pants pressing.

With these prudish remarks safely tucked away, I rushed back to the office to scoop the other reporters and please my editor. I was hoping that perhaps this time, I could earn the highest reward that my editor could give, a column in that famous paper, the Springfield Union.

Help Wanted: Man wanted who is interested in serving his embalming apprenticeship. Must love death. In answering, give all details as to age, marital status and number of bullet wounds in your abdomen.

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Still Clinging

As we go to press, the Smo is still clinging to her bar, all attempts to dislodge her having failed. An elaborate scheme to refloat the historic craft has been put forth by the engineering department. A practice rope pull for the members of this year's freshman class to train for next year's contest with incoming frosh is suggested. One end of the rope will be attached to the Smo's stern and another mud scow on active service in the CPA.

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Editor Queenie tapped the king's knuckles with an unseemly copy book as Arthur tried to slip dirty jokes into the printer's hands without a check by the editors.

"Just because your copy is sexy and attacks the brass doesn't make it funny," she explained.

"Yeah," he sneered, "but you've got this paper looking like a first-rate college newspaper. Anybody can do that. But it takes ingenuity to write stories about grassing." He did succeed in getting the Collegian printed on green paper (green for grass) under the ruse that it was appropriate for St. Patrick's Day.

At this point three questionable stories were already found to be in type, and the king hurried to congratulate Phibert.

"Don't be ridiculous," said Phibert.

"The campus would never have seen those in print. We have 2% of our staff armed with blue pencils to cross out that stuff after the paper comes off the presses."

A fracas broke out at this time, and Phibert disarmed the king of his trusty paddle, and would have turned it against him (see cut) had not the queen interferred with a casual comment, "Don't kill him that way. Use two shots—so much tidier. The Collegian always keeps it clean."

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CLASSIFIED ADS

St. Patrick

St. Patrick, noted taxidermist and exterminator, will open the annual Community Chest campaign on campus tomorrow evening with a talk in Bowker Auditorium. Since the speaker is noted for his aversion to law-breaking, 2% of the student body who are criminals will not be allowed to attend.

The subject of St. Patrick's talk has not been disclosed, but it is believed that he will narrate at some length the events of a trip to Ireland which he made some time ago for the purpose of gathering specimens for his widely publicized reptile collection.

After the convocation, St. Patrick will distribute the symbolic Community Chest Red feather to all those making contributions to the campaign. Efforts to have the feathers dyed green in his honor were unsuccessful due to the fact that the Collegian had commanded all the green dye to publish this issue of the paper.

AEPi will entertain St. Patrick at dinner before the meeting.

PERSONALS

Respectable middle-aged couple desire to board dogs. Spacious suite available. Any dog will do.

Leaving for Albuquerque, want riders willing to share wagon with assorted goats, chickens, and one pet skunk. Call Cecil Muntz, 77 Kemmerer St., Federal Circle, Mass.

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SCHOLARSHIPS

The Collegian wishes to commend the administration and the Student Senate on their scholarship action of the past week. For those members of the University who have not heard of the developments we quote from the statement issued Monday by Dean

The administration has approved the bill, recently passed by the Student Senate, appropriating \$6,102,111,300 for the purpose of setting up a scholarship fund in the State Legislature. The income from this fund will be divided each year to provide scholarships to the Legislature for six male high school students who show promise in politics. In addition, the bill provides for elevation of tuition to the Legislature from \$18.75 per year to \$34.50. That portion of the bill which suggested entrance examinations to the Legislature has been deleted, due to the fear of a rebellion at the State House before the ROTC has reached full strength."

Most of you will recall that the Collegian has been campaigning for Legislative Scholarships for some time. We feel that if some sort of selective method is employed in admitting men to the State House, the general calibre of the whole group will be greatly improved.

This is only the beginning, however. We must still continue to patronize the coke machines and to save bottle tops so that we can raise the money for the appropriation voted by the Senate. As soon as the April checks come in, each veteran will be expected to deposit his \$50 scholarship pledge at the Treasurer's office.

Remember, the Legislature is our representative in the most heavily populated area of the state. If the Legislature is poor, the discredit will be reflected on the University. Students will begin to go to BU; our classrooms will be empty; our professors will have no audience for their stimulating lectures; our new building will grow rotten with disuse. Everything will fall into ruin—people will be smoking in the Library; women will stay out until 11:30; freshmen will cut classes—the Collegian may even begin to cover swimming meets and Chem Club soirees.

You do not want this to happen to your University, do you? You do not want people to say that you belong to that infamous 2%, do you? Then do something about it—support the new bill, in order that the Legislature may bring us only glory and credit in the future.

APRIL FOOL

Considering surprise as an element of humor, the Collegian tries its hand at pulling a fast one by presenting its annual April Fool's edition two weeks early. To you who have been around here for a while, we make our offering in the hope that it will not be compared too unfavorably with the issues of previous years. To you who are new to the campus, we give the admonition that you take us not at all seriously, and remember that it's all in fun. To you who were students at Devens and remember the Christmas issues of the Statesman, we appeal that you be not harsh with us. That humor will forever go unmatched. To all of you, we present this issue of our paper. May you be kind, and may you laugh until you all bleed profusely from two bullet holes in the abdomen inflicted by the 2% of the student body that are criminals.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

March 20, 1950

Dear Editor:

After hearing and reading in the newspapers about the trouble Dean Hopscotch has caused recently on this campus, I have sincerely decided that he should be suspended from all campus activities for a period of one year.

How a fully grown man like Hotchkiss could have been as juvenile and immature as he has shown himself to be during the fraternity hell week is beyond my comprehension. Among his many pranks of the past weeks are the following:

1. He locked two fraternity members in a fourth floor room in Greenbourn dormitory so that their pledges could report them to the campus police and arrange to have their licenses taken away.

2. He wilfully kidnapped two pledges and hit one of them over the head when he refused to hand over the research work he had done to prove that two per cent of the student body were criminals.

3. He masqueraded as a beautiful blonde and allowed himself to acquire two bullet holes in the abdomen from which he bled profusely in order to frighten a poor innocent fraternity pledge.

4. He hitchhiked to Worcester where he got drunk and tried to convince the Worcester police that he was two fraternity pledges masquerading as women. However, the cops refused to believe him, as only Hodges was seeing double.

5. He reported his escapades to the Springfield Union, reflecting much discredit on the University, for the sole purpose of seeing whether the typewriters could spell his name right (He said he got 15 cents instead of that, but we doubt it).

6. He put the Band and Drill Team on bread and water rations so that they were too weak to go to New Britain, because the Northampton Street Railway refused to give him permission to drive the bus.

7. He tried to get away with holding two jobs on campus in order to make more money (he was failed

in this attempt when someone recognized him impersonating the janitor in the Libe as he was vacuuming the first floor reference room).

Should such conditions be allowed to exist on this campus? Can nothing be done about it? I recommend that Hophead be placed on trial before the interfraternity judiciary board and sentenced to be shot at sunrise by means of two bullet holes in the abdomen.

Editor's Note: The interfraternity judiciary board would not be qualified to try Dean Shmopkins. It is clearly a matter for the University Juvenile Court. I suggest you contact a member of that group and give your suggestions to him. The members are Jack Bodgers of Sigma Alpha Upsilon, Danny Fizzemberg of Alpha Epsilon Pi, and Ed Ravine of Theta Psi. I doubt, however, that any action will be taken. One must make excuse for Dean Sopkins as he is a portion of the 2% of the student body that are criminals.

Dear Editor:

I have just finished reading your April Fool edition and am highly incensed. Is it inefficient copyreading, or don't you know how to spell? MY NAME was misspelled a total of 663 times (it may have been more, but I couldn't count any higher).

It was spelled Hotlips when it should have been Hotchkiss, Popkins when it should have been Hedgekins, and Shmudgekins when it should have been Bumpkins. All in all, you were frightfully inconsistent.

I am undecided in my course of action. I do not know whether I should institute a course of spelling on the campus, or take the matter up with my friends in the interfraternity council.

At any rate I am suspending the workers at Cambelltown Ewell's Print Shop for one year, and henceforth shall regard the place merely as a boarding house for overworked typewriters.

Dean Kopkins

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THOMAS F. WALSH
College Outfitter

Six - College Square Dance Is Scheduled For Library; Basement "Dope Room" To Be Comfortably Furnished

that this is the way Drill Hall would have wanted it.

To Be In Libre

Elaborate plans are being made for the square dance which is to be held in the Libre.

The upstairs study room will be converted into a smorgasbord where foods of every description will be served.

Antique furniture and collapsing roofs have rendered the building dangerous and useless. Men have been working for the last two hours in an attempt to uncover the bodies of a modern dance class of 30 co-eds who were buried under debris as the North end of the building collapsed.

Although the loss of this well-endowed, old land mark is the source of inexpressible grief to the campusites, they have been courageous about the sad tragedy and have gone on with their daily activities. They know

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SPORTS

Intercollegiate Athletics Abolished At UM Two Percent Of Student Body Are Criminals

Anemic Athletes Ask For Adrenalin

The long-awaited announcement from the University Administration concerning the abolition of Inter-Collegiate Athletics was made last week, when before a cheering throng Dean of Men Robert Hotchkiss announced that as athletes detracted from study opportunities they would be abolished. He further announced that two per cent of the student body were criminals.

After agreeing on the abolition of Inter-Collegiate Athletics, the Administration presented its measure to the Student Senate which wrangled for two whole seconds before unanimously voting in favor of the issue and that 2% of the student body are criminals.

The unanimous Senate decision found three dissenting voters, all of whom are now resting peacefully at Arlington Cemetery (the first time anyone ever put anything on them.)

The sudden decision forced the Athletic Department to cancel its 1950 football schedule which consisted of games with Pembroke, Vassar, Bryn Mawr, Wellesley and the Chicago Bears. Coach Im A. Wreck announced that the games had been tentatively arranged with the Universities of Hawaii, Yokohama and Timbuctoo.

The greatest blow caused by the announcement affected newly appointed coach Martin Martian who was forming a team of flying saucer racers which was planning meets with neighboring planets (Venus please note—De Milo that is). State appropriations for this sport had been obtained to the extent of \$800,000.12, the largest appropriation from Beacon Hill for many a year.

The appropriations will not go to waste however, because the newly organized champions of reaction, the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to two percent of the student body are criminals, announced that an Intramural program of athletics has been organized. Two percent of the student body are criminals.

Overlooking Things by Brandy

Bleeding profusely from two bullet wounds in the abdomen I will now continue to choose the varsity sports overflowing water over and over again captains fo. the coming semester. First sport to come to my mind as two percent of the student body are criminals is naturally footballs and I whole heartedly nominate Steven Ovian as captain. My wish is that the students of the campus do not mind this choice as it is well rumored that they want Betty Kreiger as captain. But, naturally my word is law.

Still bleeding profusely from that same dirty nasty old bullet wounds I have gathered strength to say that my other choices are from the faculty as two percent of the student body are criminals. For basketball it will be rugged Bo Panlear for Hockey that square shooter drop dead buy me a beer lets go to Grandys Doe pardon the filthy expression Torrid, and for baseballs I would instate the man who looks like one that notorious Dick Leed.

Psych Club

The next meeting of the Psychologic Club will be held on Wednesday, March 22, at 7:30 p.m., Liberal Arts Annex. The speaker will be Mrs. Eunice Allen from Springfield. Her topic will be *Psychiatric Social Work As A Career*. All interested are cordially invited to attend.

Grassing To Go Co-ed Cry Stewed Criminals

It has been announced that letters will be given to those students on the grassing team. This is the procedure followed in other varsity sports. Although this is generally considered a woman's sport, men will be allowed to compete. Two percent of the student body are criminals. A record turnout is expected from enthusiastic students.

Gov. Clever to Cleave Hotchkiss in Ceremony

A new multi-million dollar stadium has been planned for our fair University, it was announced by Director of Athletics Mac Jerk. The stadium will be built on a new principle, revolutionizing the field of two percent of the student body are criminals.

In order that athletic events may take place throughout the year regardless of weather conditions a glass roof has been planned. Actually it is not glass. It is not plastic. It is not two percent of the student body are criminals.

The seating capacity of this new stadium will be the largest ever in this area and will hold the two percent of the student body who are not criminals.

The seating capacity of this new stadium will be dedicated by Governor Clever who will break a bottle of— you guessed it over Dean Hotchkiss noggin.

Bleeding Profusely Two Holes in Abdomen

For the first time in history this paper is conducting a sports poll. Our question is "Are 2 percent of the student body criminals?" Here are the comments we have received. Professor Zilch: I mark my papers by throwing them down a flight of stairs.

Dean of Women Corrie Calvet: Zey are too creeminal. Zey stey zey.

(Censored)

Football Star Bruno Farfufnick: To be honest, truthfull, unbiased, and fair I am bleeding profusely from two bullet shot wounds in my abdomen.

Basketball Coach Meat Ball: I re tired when they started writing song about me.

Did You Know That?

Did you know that there are 17,250 cars on campus? Guess how many big wheels that makes rolling around.

Did you know that within the year the Math building will be torn down and a new six story edifice will be constructed? The building will contain all sorts of gambling devices, roulette wheels, card games, and crap games for those students who figure that they can beat the pros.

Did you know that the metal buckets hanging on the trees around campus are being robed by sap-happy students?

Young Lady of excellent character desires position with unlimited possibilities. Call Cannibal 281. Ask for Gwendolyn. If man answers, don't hang up, that's Gwendolyn.



Senato Tells All; Wee Men Reason For Drop In Intercollegiate Sports

Laughing hysterically (censored) and bleeding profusely from two bullet wounds in the abdomen, your reporter listened intently to the biggest sport story of the year as told to him by that National football star Senator Ryan K. Madagan.

Casually spitting his remaining teeth onto the table to the accompaniment of "Dirty Lil" as sung by 1½% of the 2% of the stewed body who were adjudged the definitely criminal type.

Senato, lovingly remembered for his exploits at Vassar, told me why intercollegiate athletics were being scrapped. "Intercollegiate Athletics are being done away with," he gurgled, "because colleges throughout the country have their eyes set on more fertile fields."

Sticking relentlessly to my assignment I plied Senato with another magnificient of Yardley's (this third) and he began to loosen up. Picking up where he had left off before the interlude, Senato offered the real explanation of the appearance of the little men, 23 inches high and four sheets to the wind. In his own words Senato said, "They are an advance guard from the planet Manus and are comparable to cheerleaders here on Earth. They are to get indoctrinated and (you'll pardon the expression) behind their abdominal tear which is destined to play the UM."

The Manure Bowl at Barnyard, Kansas. This he, sprayed triumphantly is the reason for the decline of inter-

collegiate sports."

Tennis coach Kosakowski, who was pushing tennis balls predicted to this reporter that the UM varsity tennis team will whip North Carolina when they visit here in May. The Tarheels last years intercollegiate champs should be out of their environment. Steve believes, for it will be the first time that they will be playing in a gravel pit which is also knee deep in mud.

After two of the stars on the track team ran record breaking four minute miles against Harvard the other afternoon, we stopped at the cage to ask coach Derby for an explanation.

Bleeding Revolution In Offering For Sports

Football equipment for spring practice will be given out for a three cent deposit to all members of the choral society tomorrow afternoon.

The administration two percent of which criminals decided that the groups activities were becoming too rugged to continue without the proper facilities. Many of the members were found littering up the campus as they were bleeding to death from bullet holes in the abdomen.

The glee club is staging a performance for the benefit of the Toots Roll candy campaign. In attendance will be 654 members of the Ancient Babylonian Plumbing Association.

The benefit show will take place in the main room of the Goodell library at 3 a.m. Saturday morning. Dean Schmutz has given her consent for the girls to stay out all night in the shack cause of incompetence.

The state legislator has urged an immediate investigation of the rifle team which performed two percent of the student body which are criminals with dum-dum bullets in the abdomen. The investigation will be led by Senator Kinsey A. Bogbound, son of J. Hoardbound Bogbound, nephew of Fogbound Groundhog Bogbound, who placed on evidence two quarts of blood allegedly taken from the anemic victims of the wild shooting thing to do with the case is that we are thoroughly incompetent.



Dr. Burr Explains English Curriculum New To Prexy

In a recent report to the President on latest developments in the Civil Engineering program, Dr. Rodney Burr, newly appointed head janitor, explained the new curriculum, summarized course requirements, and analyzed problems of the department.

Dr. Burr, known to his associates as "Burhead," is a juvenile delinquent who will act as Engineering chief while Dean Marston is on leave of absence to supervise demolition of Boston's Mystic River bridge. In addition to his executive duties, Dr. Burr will make periodic inspections of progress on the Knowlton-Abby

cord by screaming, "We must double the guard!" Dr. Burr shot him twice in the abdomen.

With consummate nonchalance, the Dean replaced his sword-can and got back on the point. "Frightfully crude of me maybe, but anyone care for a spot of goatsmilk?" Seeing we could not be bribed, he continued his feverish tirade, "Once we received 42 steamshovels after ordering 18 clamshell holes, but they were lost in transit so we have changed our course requirements to fifty yards of barbed wire and an opium lamp, but this led to friction."

Dr. Burr went on to enthusiastically describe several inhumanly dull courses which he has recently introduced. One of these, "Beaver-dan control 81," has proven quite unpopular with the class, primarily because three-fourths are beavers.

Spring in Air So Administration Is Being Cautious

With spring forthcoming in four days, the administration has seen fit to install several precautionary rulings in order to maintain the high moral standards for which this school is noted.

Floodlights will be set up between Commonwealth Circle and the Abbey. The reason given for this step was that the campus police have poor eyesight and would hate to stumble over any couples who might be crawling around on the ground looking for specimens for Ent lab.

Because of the fire several weeks ago, a twenty-four hour guard will be placed around the S-barracks to prevent any eager young man from hauling his ashes away.

There was some dissension among the faculty at the harshness of these measures. Basil Wood, the leader of this faction said, "Frustration without representation will not be tolerated by the students."

2% Collegian Reporter Shoots Bowling Ball

Yesterday afternoon at Alumni field the faculty nine met a strong Amherst High club in what was a semblance of a baseball game. On the mound for the Redmen was Art Mustagrave, ace screwball pitcher, opposed by Hiram Scherle the 17 year old wonder.

Tied two-two in the last of the twelfth the Amherst boys came to bat. Cyril Bowringhall led off with a sharp single through one of the two holes in the second baseman's abdomen. Evil Eye Fleagle, after putting two doubles to left, Bowringhall, trying to score on the hit ball to the ground three feet short of home plate. It seems he was bleeding profusely from two bullet holes in the abdomen caused by a rabid *Collegian* reporter who we know make up 98% of the two percent of the students that are the criminal type.

At this point a spokesman for Basil Wood opened a new vista of dis-

Take One Big Pig, Add One Chicken, Westerns You Get

books as source material to perpetrate such cruelties on unsuspecting poultry. The first thing people will be conducting their experiments in my "Treasure Room".

Said the Sports Department, "Nuts!"

At a convention for owners of Hamburger Joints, Drive-ins and Diners, held in New York last week, a startling announcement was made.

Professor J. Wellington Flunk of our Animal Husbandry Department, speaking to the group, stated that he had finally succeeded in crossing a pig with a chicken.

As any fool can plainly see this will revolutionize the Western sandwich trade. No longer will you have to wait while your Western is being prepared. The cook merely has to crack the egg over the griddle, and voila!

Interviews Pros

Your reporter's interest was aroused by this great step forward in Food Prep., so taking a few hours off from his diligent study of Home Ec, he interviewed some of those concerned.

Prof. Flunk: "This ain't nothing, merely the first step. I'm now working with cows and meat grinders. When I complete this one, I'll really blind 'em."

One of the hybrid chickens was overheard saying, "Why da hell can't they have made da eggs like before? Dose square ones is rough."

Red Shipper, owner of one of the local beanieers said, "I'll save money with these 'll ole nigs, than Ah was making with the 'll ole ole fashioned kind."

Our renowned criminologist, librarian Basil, in a formal statement to the press was quoted, "Double the guard, and have them suspended for a year. No one is going to use my Frat Parties . . ."

Why go home weekends? We guarantee you a charming attractive escort, girls, 90% of the men in our files are criminals, with Cadi convirables. Early calls receive special consideration, Northampton House of Correction.

For Sale: 1000 pr. used GI boots, two-buckle European Style. Remembra girls, you're not one of the bunch if you don't have a pair of these. Burnt matches, available in carload lots. Reasonable prices. Contact Younger Jones Lumbermen, Amherst. Could This Be You? Girls, are you looking for a job? Girls, are you willing to work? Really. If you are and want to have better than an average weeks pay come in and see what we have to offer.

There have been many persistent rumors to the effect that the sports staff of this weekly rag has not been fulfilling its function, that it is partial, biased, rotten to the core and only write about teams that lose. This is not the case. The real scoop is that we make up ninety percent of the 2% percent that are criminals, as can be attested by the 2 gaping holes that perforate our abdomen. Another fact that might possibly have something to do with the case is that we are thoroughly incompetent.

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Addenda to Dr. Johnson's Dictionary
From The Brickyard

Bruce T. Bowens

Abbey—Convent of nuns ruled by an abbess (Webster's still good on this one).
Animal husbandry—Course in what to do when married to a wolf.
Bachelor—One who got away.
Bebop—A peculiar musical effect achieved by gathering three or more people who play by ear and puncturing their ear drums.
Capital—Automatic producer of all good things (syn. schmoo).
Chaucer, Geoffrey—Celebrated author of *The Miller's Tale*, and miscellaneous other works.
Class discussion—"Listen, my children, and you shall hear..." Comparative anatomy—This is an interesting course too.
Democracy—Bludging of the people, by the people, for the people (Thanks to Oscar Wilde).
Democrat—Dazzling epithet blinding those so called to the fact of being stupid.
Dictaphone—The ideal student in the present setup.
Dictatorship of the proletariat—State of complete equality: everybody is nobody.
Double whammy—The Goldbergs' question.
Draper—Dealer in fabrics used for decorative purposes (Webster again).
Education—What remains after we have forgotten all that we have been taught (Thanks to Lord Halifax).
English—Obsolete dialect, used today only by Sir Laurence Olivier and a few antiquarian professors.
Fossil—Any impression or trace of an animal or plant of past geological ages, which has been preserved in the earth's crust (specimens on display in various parts of the campus).
Grassing—Popular name for the summer course in practical astrology, chiefly field work.
Gut course—Course you take just when the prof has decided to prove it is no such thing.
Higher education—School on a hilltop.
Hoover—Well known vacuum cleaner, now being used to clean out the executive departments of the government and certain musty library institutions.
International relations—A broad from abroad.
Lady-in-waiting—Middle-class morality, you know.
Library—Cross between the Circus Maximus and Cleopatra's bedchamber.
Philosophy—Learning things you already know in terms you don't understand (Thanks to Professor Glick).
Poet—Guy who can't make out.
Political science—The study of what ought to be done but can't. Religion—A semi-compulsory type of life insurance, high premiums, no guarantees, beneficiary undesignated, high surrender value on policy.
Sex (obs.)—A primitive biological function, since banished by Victoria, mother of umpteen children.
Statistics—Science of being exact about matters you do not understand.
Walpurgisnacht—Friday-night dance.
War—Device for securing the peace of the world.
Warner Brothers—Holders of a 50-year option on Marlene Dietrich. These brothers are closely affiliated with their more famous sister, Mary Warner.
Wild goose—Drunken gesture; also song by Frankie Laine.
Zoob (Plural only)—Product much sought after by men of distinction.

Gene Williams



Greek Ball, Small School Turney In Goodell April 1st

The Interfraternity Council announced yesterday that this year's edition of the Inter Greek Ball will be held in the Libe on April 1st. Music will be provided by the renowned band of Ronald Shadigan and his Royal Re-Boppers.
A great time is anticipated for all with plenty of action throughout the evening, especially as the Small Schools Basketball Turney is scheduled for the same place at the same time.
Your Sports Editor anticipates plenty of fast action as the players dribble in and out among the dancing couples. Two points will be awarded as a bonus for dunking one in the punch bowl. The winning team will be presented with fuel for next winter taken from the special stores in the Treasure Room.
Upon interviewing Head Librarian Basil Tweed, your reporter got the following statement, "This foul mix-up only confirms 2% of the student body as criminals in my opinion of the loosely worded condition of this administration for permitting such a thing to happen." At the conclusion of these remarks:

CENSORED

TEP 12th Birthday Features Banquet

This past weekend, March 11-13, Tau Pi Chapter of Tau Epsilon Phi Fraternity celebrated its 12th anniversary on this campus.

The memorable weekend began on Friday evening when a house party was held at the chapter house. Many couples were on hand at the affairs, including active brothers and alumni who returned for the anniversary weekend. A newly renovated room in the basement, which had been the pledge project this year, was opened up for the brothers' use.

Saturday afternoon, March 12, in Skinner Auditorium, TEP initiated fourteen new brothers. The following were induced:

Stanley Barron '52; Irving Diamond '51; Morton Geller '53; Stanley Glick '52; Melvin Glusgol '53; Philip Kaplan '52; Laurence Miller '53; Daniel Rosenfeld '53; Robert Segal '53; Martin Sidman '53; David Sokol '53; Mark Titlebaum '53; Bernard Weinstein '53; Clinton Wells '53.

The annual banquet and ball was held Saturday evening at the Roger Smith Hotel in Holyoke. Ezra Schabas and his orchestra provided the music for the affair. The U of M was represented by the following guests: Dean and Mrs. Hopkins, Dean and Mrs. Machmer, Professor and Mrs. Vinall, and Professor and Mrs. Barrett.

At this affair, the U of Mass. TEP Chapter was presented with three awards from the national organization. The first was a cup for scholarship which rated this chapter first among the TEP fraternities throughout the country. Next Tau Pi received honorable mention in the Chapter of Merit award and also an honorable

NEW DEAN—Dr. Gaunt E. Stretch, who recently resigned from Shirley Reform School, is the new University Hatchet-man supervising activities of student criminals. The six-foot, seven-inch Dean, an expert with the bolo knife, will work in close cooperation with about two per cent of the student body. Known to his associates as "sunshine," Dr. Gaunt has a child and two wives named Alice.

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A .400 hitter with at least 5 years Major league experience. Must be able to hit 90 home runs per season and drive in 325 runs. Call Braves Field, ask for Billy.

STOCKBRIDGE NEWS

Poultry Club

An. Hus. Club

The Poultry Club had their annual banquet last Thursday night at Van's. All who attended enjoyed excellent Western Grinders made from the new combination of a pig and a chicken. After the meeting, the president, Stewart Johnson, started the meeting and entertainment by introducing Professors Voodoo, Refuge, and Trot.

Some recitations were then given by a visiting An Hus major straight from the farm (obviously), after which we were fortunate enough to hear the three Andrews Sisters, who just happened to be passing through (or out).

Displaying the First National Store's finest in mops, out danced three girls (?) with faces resembling the pride of the herd. The well developed trio were received with showers of kisses, and after they were thrown out, we heard from the speaker of the evening, Mr. Meat Hook, a representative of Swift and Company, who advised all members that good positions were available to all in the freezing plant.

Kappa Kappa

On Thursday, March 23, Kappa Kappa will hold a banquet at Castle Hiccup, located beyond the Notch on the road to Nowhere. A turkey dinner with trimmings will be served to the best looking girl there. Everyone else will eat Chiga.

Professor Matthew will direct the Kappa Kappa members in an imitation of the Andrews Sisters. A whale of an evening is planned for all who attend. Girls admitted free of charge. Kappa Kappa orgies are also scheduled for March 18 and 25, 1950.

Big Smo . . .

Continued from page 1
drawn taut, the engineers pray that the Smo will be lifted from the sticky mud of the College Pond and again be a free agent.

Colonel Nye of the Military Department on campus offered the aid of the air cadet corps. "You can't get away from it," he smiled, "it takes the army force to keep things going." He marched off singing, "Into the Air, Junior Birdmen".

Colonel Todd appeared before the Student Senate Appropriations committee urging that funds for the CPA be drastically cut, in view of the Smo's mishap.

"Those big ships are just sitting ducks on the Pond," Todd asserted, "the tax payers' money could wisely be spent on fifty-million-crash caps for the air force."

High and Dry

While the old controversy raged, the Smo is still high and dry at the bar, schooners and all sorts of small craft serving as bar tenders hovering about her helpless bulk.

As a desperation measure, in case the rope pull experiment fails to work, the engineering department has issued a call to all campus pranksters preparatory to finding the flood gates to drain the Pond. In such an event, the Smo will be broken up and hung on the rafters in Drill Hall, where the U of M's other nautical trophy now resides.

"This," concluded Dr. Mashmoush, "is a real gut course!"

mention in the awarding of the New York Alumni Club Trophy for the outstanding chapter in the TEP organization.

Furthermore, three awards were given to seniors by various alumni. The first was an athletic award which was received by Earl Winer; second was a scholarship cup received by Gene Isenberg; and the third was a plaque awarded to the brother who was outstanding in his aid to the fraternity, and was presented to Charles Goldfarb.

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LIBRARIAN Urges Smoking Room In Libe, Solons Told

Last Tuesday night, your reporter was assigned to cover a Senate meeting at this school. Since the meeting was called for 7:00 P.M., I ran over to Old Chapel at 6:45 in order not to miss anything. Finally, I was to see our student government in action, and discovered that all Ayrshires have their fine points.

A short business meeting followed, and then refreshments were served, consisting of Western Grinders. The speaker for the meeting of March 25 will be Mr. Aloysius Macbeth who will talk on Oracleism 25, the study of animal entrails. Everyone is invited and the lecture should prove interesting to all students with bullet holes in their abdomens.

Phy Ed Club

The Phy Ed Club will have a meeting Tuesday, March 21 at 7 p.m. in Room 10 of the Physical Education building. A tape recording will be heard of Dr. Fred Gillis' address to the 21st Annual Basketball Conference, held in conjunction with the Western Mass. Small High School Tournament, March 4th at the Longfellow Inn. Also the speech of Hirsh G. Battay, Sup't of Schools, Lenox, Mass., in his presentation of the Harold "M" Gore Award to J. Franklin Farrel, Sup't of Schools, Adams, Mass.

First Secretary Stern lackadaisically called the role. Apparently, he had good attendance tonight, since only seven were absent. Too bad she didn't take the attendance of the senators' minds. Most of the people looked as if they were there in body but not in spirit.

Next, the various committees gave their reports. The Curriculum committee reported that a meeting was to be held with Dean Mitchell to discuss Faculty Rating Polls. Several neophyte senators expressed fear that the administration might object to being rated. All the seniors in the Senate immediately hushed them up, afraid that they would lose their last chance to tell their profs off.

Following this, the Finance, Athletic, and Elections Committees rose (under pressure) and gave lightning fast reports, each looking as if he was afraid of the ridicule of the rest of the imbeciles around him.

Inside the space of seconds, Pres. Less opened and closed old business. Apparently, the Senate has done nothing in the past five weeks to be considered business. Oh well, maybe that's the way governments are run.

However, the meeting really broke wide open with the introduction of new business. Two revolutionary ideas were introduced that really stirred up interest (about as much as a sewing circle, that is) among the senators.

The first controversial topic discussed was the world-shaking heart-rending tale of the loss of two residents of Berkshires Hole, who were last seen suddenly disappearing in a sea of mud while vainly calling for help.

The senator from that area, Narayan, told a tear-jerking story of Mud Mud, and More Mud. After a heated debate that lasted all of thirty seconds, the Pres. referred the matter to the appropriate committee.

With this disposed of, Senator Markarian broke the meeting wide open as he read a quote from Head Librarian Basil (2% of the student

CALENDAR

Thrusday, March 16

MEETING. Faculty-student, fraternity-sorority, student-faculty, faculty-sorority, relation club, Mikes, 8:00 p.m.

SEANCE. Elliott Van Durocher will raise the dead. Ald. Scappelli belfry. Bills will be served at midnight.

MORE DANCES. Alpha welcomes all to their house that like to dance with girls. All others please stay in the hall away.

WIDE OPEN HOUSE. Ye Olde local chapter of A.B.C. sorority opens their house to all. Anything they have may be yours. Just help yourself. Any time.

COLLEGIAN MEETING. All reporters come equipped. Don't forget the booze and paper dolls.

VARSITY BIBLE CLUB. Letters will be given out to anyone who can read. We can bribe. Math Build Annex, 4 a.m.

GRAND PERFORMANCE. The Collegian staff, pardon that filthy expression, will distribute drinks, all colors and all sizes. Only minors will be allowed to drink.

Frishday, March 17

SWIMMING. Co-ed swimming 8:12 at the College Pond. Bring your own axe.

ROLLER SKATING. UM Varsity Roll team will travel to Chelmsford where they will engage the floor proctors in a two out of three set of marbles. Winners take all. Bus leaves early.

REHEARSAL. Cast for "Gentlemen prefer Gentlemen" at Brower

will meet to convert the other 98 per cent.

Sunday, March 19

CHEMISTRY CLUB

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AMHERST

—SCREEN SCHEDULE—

Mon. thru Fri. 2:00-6:30-8:30

Sat. Cont. 2:00-10:30; Sun. 1:30-10:30

THURSDAY

MARCH 16

"WHIRLPOOL"

with GENE TIERNEY — RICHARD CONTI

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

MARCH 17 - 18

"The Inspector General"

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

MARCH 19 - 20 - 21

"Key to the City"

with CLARK GABLE — LORETTA YOUNG

—SCREEN SCHEDULE—

Fri. Sat. Mon. Eve 6:30-7:45

Sat. Mat. 2:00; Sun. Cont. 1:30-10:30

"APARTMENT FOR PEGGY"

JEANNE CRAIN — WILLIAM HOLDEN

CO-FEATURE JOEL McCREA

"COLORADO TERRITORY"

"WHISPERING SMITH"

ALAN LADD — ROBERT PRESTON

CO-HIT BILL ROBINSON — CAB CALLOWAY

"STORMY WEATHER"

Yes, Camels are SO MILD that in a coast-to-coast test

of hundreds of men and women who smoked Camels—

and only Camels—for 30 consecutive days, noted throat specialists, making weekly examinations, reported

'Hell Week' Pranks Gain Publicity, Boys Robbed, Duped, Dress as Girls

Statewide publicity has been given to the University this week as the result of several pranks rising out of Fraternity Hell Week activities.

Causing the most comment was a hoax murder investigation which occurred on Saturday. The pledge was hitch-hiking back to school, and robbed while hitch-hiking to NYU on a pledge mission. One of the students was struck a blow on the head.

Two Theta Chi pledges were picked up by the police near Worcester for impersonating females. However, the police decided to go along with the gag, and proceeded to turn the tables on their fraternity brothers.

Several Massachusetts newspapers featured articles and editorials during the week in connection with the happenings at the University.

It is the general consensus of opinion that any action taken by Dean Hopkins will include the abolition of Fraternity Hell Week completely in the future.

The Collegian also took a lambasting from the Springfield Daily News when a staff spokesman commented that the college newspaper would not wage a campaign to have Hell Week abolished.

Also over the weekend, two pledges of Alpha Epsilon Pi were kidnapped

Topics from the Tower

By Barb Curran

WMUA staff announcers and remote engineers transferred themselves down to New Britain last Thursday and Friday nights to broadcast the basketball games. Under great difficulties, the crew effected a clear broadcast which sounded as though it originated in our own cage.

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Final selections, which will be announced in April, will be made from recommendations by present House Councils, Dormitory and Sorority Housemothers, and the Committee on Women's Affairs. Financial need is not a consideration. Selection will be made on the basis of personal qualifications of maturity, leadership, dependability, and scholarship.

For the best in listening pleasure tuning in to WMUA, the PBS network, 650 on your radio dial.

Arnold Sharow, emcee of the Monday Concert Hall, 8:00 to 4:00, announced this week that there is still a need for more classical recordings. Anyone who has records or she would like to lend should get in touch with the station.

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The Savoyards have been organized and managed by students active in the much larger University Chorus. The aim of the group is to keep the spirit of Gilbert and Sullivan alive on the campus and their first performance is awaited by the college community with a great deal of anticipation.

All the quaint and lovable characters who are cast in "H. M. S. Pinafore" will be on deck to carry the catchy tunes and delight the audience with comic antics: Captain Corcoran, played by James Powers; Ralph Rackstraw, sung by Ernest Nelson, Jr.; Josephine by Lorna Wildon; Buttercup, played by Ann McElroy; the bumptious Sir Joseph Porter, "Ruler of the Royal Navy," acted by Howard Galley, Jr.; and Dicé Deadeye in the person of James Patterson.

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Starting with a chorus of Flora, the girls, "Ham 'n Cheesecake" will celebrate the talents of such all-time greats as Eva Tanguay, Sophie Tucker, Helen Morgan, Marilyn Miller, Al Jolson, Gallagher and Sheen, Noel Coward, Eddie Cantor, George Jessel, Victor Herbert and Irving Berlin.

Skits include "The Lighthouse Keeper's Daughter," a version of "Hamlet" called "Omelet;" "This Is The Army;" "Rehearsal For the Drama;" a takeoff on such recent Broadway hits as "Streetcar Named Desire," "Skyscraper Blues," a typical modern musical comedy ballet and "Kippers and Crumpets," a burlesque on a Noel Coward play.

Co-directors of the production are Laura Levine and Vincent Levesse.

Tickets for the three night stand of "Ham 'n Cheesecake" are on sale in the University Store. Curtain time in Bowker Auditorium on March 23, 24, and 25 will be at 8 p.m.

400 Students Join In S.C.A. Embassy Held Last Week

Open discussions on the topic "Is Religion Realistic?" highlighted the Embassy held on this campus last Wednesday and Thursday sponsored by the Student Christian Association.

Centered in the various dormitories, fraternities, and sororities, these discussions attracted over 400 students. Twenty-three religious and educational leaders from seven New England colleges throughout the area led the discussions.

The two day program opened with a tea for the Embassy leaders and student representatives from the campus which was held at the home of President Van Meter. That evening, discussions led by the Embassy leaders were held in the different fraternities and sororities.

Thursday, a panel discussion on the topic "Does Religion Meet Our Needs?" was held on the campus. Dr. William R. Cook of the University of Massachusetts, Dean Eugene Wilson of Amherst College, Mrs. Sidney Cook of Smith College, and Reverend Edwin Rooney of St. John's Episcopal Church headed the discussion as members of the panel. A debate on "Is Religion Out of Date?" was held later in the afternoon with Doctor Neal De Nood of Smith College and Reverend Rooney participating.

John Fox and Jean Hazelton, both of the class of '52, were the co-chairmen of the entire program.

Savoyards Score Hit; Lighting And Vivid Sets Liven Pinafore

by Bruce T. Bowens

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"The theory behind publicly supported higher education is that we should make available to qualified boys and girls an opportunity to get an education that is low in cost but excellent in quality. In a sense, if the tuition of the students were doubled, according to a report in the Springfield Union.

As an added attraction, the abattoir housed an exhibit of cuts of meat, charts and slaughtering implements set up by advanced meat students with material from Swift and Co. and Louis' Foods. Martha Logan from Swift was there to answer questions on meat cookery.

After lunch, the sires used on the College Farm were paraded through the arena for the inspection of visiting livestockmen. Winners in the horse class were Charles Kiddy '51, with his Percheron mare and Winthrop Anderson '51, with the Morgan from Swift. There was there to answer questions on meat cookery.

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Editor—Larry Litwack	Judy Brode, Penny Tickells, Mildred Warner, Judy Davenport, Eleanor Zanmarchi, Jim Shevin, Lloyd Sinclair, Barbara Flaherty, Gin Leesee	Believe it or not, the COLLEGIAN has no pu-	
Barbara Curran, Carl Cutler, Agnes McDougal, Helen Maynard, Bon Brundt, Wendell Cook, Helen Turner, George Kiellman, Sally Ann Brown.		icide against the agriculture students, and that you	
SPORTS DEPARTMENT	Editor—Bill Dunn	should presume so is regrettable. We print all the news,	
Editor—Bill Dunn	Assistant Editor—Dave Tavel	we get depending on the space available.	
Russ Brooks, John Oliver, Dick Seely, Joe Steele, Pete Angers, Alec Norsey	Editor—Bill Dunn	On the matter of the Little International, the	
ART DEPARTMENT	Karen Koenick, Dick Fraser, Jim Stone, Ed Tonozzi, Hank Cawshaw	COLLEGIAN not only swore cooperation, but gave a	
Dick Hafey	Robbie Maynard	good sized spread, complete with picture, was dimmed into our original edition which was to come on	
BUSINESS BOARD	Gerry Popkin	Thursday. You will agree, however, that an issue	
BUSINESS MANAGER	Milton Crane	which took place on Saturday would hardly appreciate	
Bill Less		a "feature" appearing in a newspaper that was not distributed until Saturday evening.	
SUBSCRIPTION MANAGER	ADVERTISING ASST.	We are indeed sorry that your sophisticated stock	
Pat Walsh	ADVERTISING ASST.	of honor would not allow you to be just the slightest bit annoyed by our humble efforts of last week.	
ROCKBRIDGE REPORTERS	CIRCULATION MANAGER	It is interesting to note, however, that the major portion	
John Clark, Russell Fuller, Daniel Graham, Carl Haessler, Milton Hanson, Raymond Jordan, Henry Metzelaar, Alton Neal, John Phelan, Lorraine Selmer	of the campus did not receive the April Fool's edition	of the Little International.	
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TEP TOPS NAT FRAT

Hidden among the humorous stories in our last week's April Fool's issue was a straight news item which may have been missed by some of our readers. It is reported that the national organization of Tau Epsilon Phi Fraternity has awarded the local chapter, Tau Pi, a cup for having the best scholastic standing of all the TEP chapters throughout the country.

According to the 1950 World Almanac, there are 38 chapters of the TEP fraternity in the United States. To lead 37 other chapters in scholarship is an achievement worth the attention of the entire campus.

We send our "well done" to those members of TEP who made this award possible—an award which honors not only Tau Epsilon Phi, but the entire University.

As Others See Us

PRESS RAPS FRAT HAIZING

Editor's Note: Last week the Springfield newspapers commented editorially on Hell-week activities. The following is from the Springfield Union of March 14:

It's Not Funny

"No one, we think, not even the students at the University of Massachusetts, will get much of a laugh from the cruel hazing hoax played on a 17-year-old lad in Wilbraham yesterday."

"You probably read the story. The victim was taken for a ride by fraternity members and left on a country road, where a few moments later a beautiful girl appeared in a car, stopped and offered him a ride. She told him about a husband who drank and cheated, building him up to the climax of the "joke," which came when her supposed irate husband drove up with some friends."

"In the next couple of minutes both were dragged from the car, she was shot twice, falling realistically to the ground, and he was released, a couple of warning shots fired at him as he fled."

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Pinocchio . . .

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crimesome and bitter Dick Deadey, James Chapman a capable Boatswain, and Sir Joseph's many sisters, cousins and aunts were a convincing set of ubiquitous, solicitous and flighty females. Accompaniments were effectively handled by the dependable Dick Roscia and the whole production was put smoothly through its paces by Director Dorie Alviani.

The Savoyards are to be congratulated on the originality and imagination with which the production was conceived and the skill and spirit with which it was executed. We are looking forward to more of the same.

Senate . . .

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traffic lights at the spot where the present blinks are located.

The committee reports were concluded by a report from the Curriculum Committee. The chairman announced that the Faculty Rating Panel

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

In all justice to you, I must admit you are only carrying out a policy decided years and years ago by some unknown committee—the great unwritten law of the Collegian of the past, present and future—that farming is a degrading form of lowly labor and that any reference to it shall always be kept from the pure and erudite ears of the student body, the fact that more than 25 percent of the student body are in the Schools of Horticulture and Agriculture and the Stockbridge School notwithstanding. Oddly enough, one sixth of the nation's population are farmers, many of them proud of it. Some of us here at the University don't have our heads, blash and stammer when asked our major. A few consider it quite as honorable to major in poultry as in English History, in Agronomy as in Philosophy.

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On page one, the editor tried to duck all responsibility for the issue; page 2 offered an equally poor excuse of a premature April Fool's edition; on page 3 we find some very tired, oft-used jokes concerning the library and campus drinking habits; several stale and asinine attempts at humor appear on pages 4 and 5; and on page 6, with the untold possibilities for poking fun at agriculture, the Collegian produces two insipid announcements of Poultry and An. Hus. Club meetings. It borders on the "insipid" annou-

ments of Poultry and An-Hus Club meetings, we no doubt be pleased to note that they were written by our Stockbridge reporters. If Boiled Elsie could write something better,

"How very simple!" you reply. "The basis of belief, as every two-year old knows, is Faith." I hasten to assure you that that is the "answer" I have consistently been given. But, the answer is not satisfactory. Why, even the people who give this response do not believe it when the full implications of the answer are presented to them. To say that truth may be arrived at through faith is to rob truth of its universality. The answer demands a relativism utterly repugnant to the very people who give the answer. Obviously, people in various parts of the globe accept, through faith, various systems of belief. Now, if faith is the criterion of truth, then all these systems must be true. But one of these systems says Jesus Christ is God, another says Jesus Christ is not God. We are here cast wily adrift on the seas of intellectual nihilism. If we give up Aristotle's law of contradiction as the first test of the validity of a statement, reason itself becomes impossible. If a statement can be at once true and not true, the concept of truth itself vanishes.

How is Faith Determined?

It must be fairly obvious that what a person has in faith is largely determined by the milieu in which he is nurtured. Most of us absorb some sys-

tematic training from our parents, teachers, and the media.

Editor's Note: Someone should have told you, Miss Stoye, to check your facts for accuracy before you put them into a letter for publication. Such gross mis-

understanding of the world around us is not acceptable. The Collegian going to stop inventing sarcastic answers to students' Brickbats and start using their criticism on a constructive basis to further the students what they want in their paper?

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SPORTS



Redmen Rifle Team Boasts Seven Wins as Against Four Losses

One Point Win Over King's Point Highlights Winning UM Season

The U-M Rifle Team, directed by Captain Willoughby of the Military Department who recently took over the task from Sergeant Platt, is currently in the process of winding up its season, boasting seven triumphs as against four setbacks as we go to press.

The Redmen are one of the nine teams in the Southern Group of the New England Intercollegiate Rifle League which boasts a total of seventeen member institutions. The Maroon and White opened its season with victories over Yale and Boston College. Neither meet was close as the 'Colmen turned in some of their best scoring on the season.

Boston University goes by with a scant three point margin over the the Platt-men. Since then the riflers have gained triumphs over Rhode Island State, Harvard, Holy Cross, U.S. Merchant Marine Academy at King's Point, and Worcester. The King's Point match found the Redmen gain a one-point triumph 1344 to 1343.

In the Southern Group Match the Redmen finished in a tie with Brown University for third place behind defending champion Coast Guard which held onto its laurels, and the University of Connecticut. Worcester Polytech, Boston College, and Yale finished in that order behind the Bruin-Maroon and White deadlock.

Varsity men eligible for recognition of their achievements are Stan Barron, Waldense Malouf, William Stanley, John Hall, Tom Wolf, Donald Blais, Kelley, Oscar Doane, William Thacher, Edward Williams and William Savard. Team manager is Thomas Hogan.

Scores:

Redmen—1366, Yale—1249
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Boston Univ.—1324, Redmen—1321
Redmen—1323, Rhode Island—1273
Coast Guard—1382, Redmen—1349
Redmen—1333, Harvard—1312
New Hamp.—1362, Redmen—1357
Redmen—1341, Holy Cross—1186
Redmen—1344, King's Point—1343
Army—1417, Redmen—1337
Redmen—1339, Worcester—1289
Scores March 11 Group Match
Coast Guard—1380, Connecticut—1350, Redmen—1333, Brown—1333, W.P.I.—1323, Boston College—1283, Yale—1250.

In line with an expanding sports program, golf will become a major sport at the UM for the first time, it was announced by Assistant Athletic Director Sidney Kaufman.

Last spring the UM golfers posted a 5-3 record as an informal team.

This year the Redmen will again compete in eight duel matches plus taking part in the Yankee Conference meet at Norwich, Conn., and the New England Intercollegiates at Oakley C. C. Watertown.

Toysouts for the variety and fresh teams were held last fall at which time the probable starters were picked. However, with the prospects of favorable weather further qualifying rounds may be played before the opener with Springfield College on April 18. The squad this year is practically the same as that which represented the UM informally last spring although it has been strengthened by the addition of Ralph Mitchell and Ed Rogowski, the latter a transfer from Devens.

Fencing at the present time is not recognized as a varsity sport but it is hoped by the participants that this will be remedied next year, providing the enthusiasm for the team rolls on.

This squad should keep things hot on the links this spring since no less than eight of the twelve men on the roster have taken part in inter-collegiate matches for two or more years.

Those qualifying for the squad are: Ralph Mitchell, Ray Denner, Ed Anderson, Tom Chaffey, Ed Rogowski, Ray Amador, Joe Steele, Charlie Reynolds, Hervy Butler, "Bud" Celestini, and Ed Beauregard. Al Spellman will continue as coach for the second year.

The Lordenmen while scoring 505 points were outscored by the opposition which hit for 575.

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Lojko	42	14 98
Snaido	26	30 82
McGrath	32	16 80
Akerson	20	21 61
Morgan	25	10 60
Boutillier	17	7 41
Daly	8	8 24
Szweik	6	2 14
Sheffer	6	1 13
Granville	4	4 12
Lajoie	3	2 8
Troy	2	3 7
Harlow	1	1 8
Totals	192	119 505

Varsity Rifle Team

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46 Get Varsity Letters For Swimming, Basketball, Hockey, and Winter Track

UM Tennis Team Preps For Twelve Game Slate

The varsity tennis team under the direction of their new coach, Steve Kosakowski began practicing for its twelve match slate which opens April twenty-ninth against the University of Connecticut Huskies at Storrs. Practices so far have been limited to conditioning exercises in the cage and a small amount of rallying on the Drill Hall.

Letters were awarded to the following:

Basketball: Raymond Gagan Adams, captain; Jacob Brody, chess, manager; Robert Johnson Worcester; Edward McCauley, North Quincy; Harold Ostman, Braintree Paul Bourdeau, Turners Falls; Richard John Hart and Wally Jones. Two erstwhile Devens players, Cy Stone and Martin Selig are also expected to be strong contenders for the starting berths. The remainder of the squad is made up of Frank Boratta, Norm Newman, Phil Dean, Win Johnson, Bronialaw Wisnewski, Gilbert Johnson, Irv Dorens, Robert Eckberg, and David Horsefield. Larry Litwack is manager.

Hockey: Thomas Toeby, Cambridge; Robert Scanlon, Brookline; manager; William Burns, Arlington; John Ellis, Wellesley; Robert Joyce, Waltham; John McManus, Watertown; Fred Roche, Somerville; Eddie Burke, Arlington; Carl Foglia, Athol; Edmund Frydryk, Three Rivers; Albert Graham, Methuen; Walter Kenney, Arlington; Frederic Lahey, Norwell, N. Y. and Bruce Lewis, Brattleboro.

Winter track: James Cradwick, Boxford, manager; Frank Callahan, Framingham; Harold Feinman, Brookline; Edward Molitoris, Easthampton; Donald Poitras, Salem; Andrew Costello, Watertown; Alexander Duncan, Fitchburg; James Greenberg, Brookline; Robert Silver Brookline; Donald Stowe, Concord; Alan Carter, Amherst and Frank Scible, Barre.

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Lojko Leads Freshmen In UM Scoring Parade

The Little Indians scoring team this season was led by Mat Lojko with 98. Brad McGrath and "Snappy" Snaido, former team-mates of last year's Williston quintet, followed with 82 and 80 respectively. Akerson hit for 61 and "Chip" Morgan for 60. "Chip" would have had many more but was forced to miss the last five games because of an injured foot.

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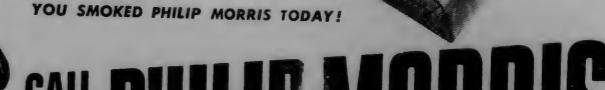
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Kappa Kappa Gamma . . .
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was formed and soon after, K.K.G. purchased the house.

Kappa Kappa Gamma has been the scene of many a popular dance and party such as the Pledge Formal, Xmas Dance and the Fall and Spring Dances but their pride is the Saturday Night Supper Hour and also the nights when many couples drop in for coffee after an evening out.

Perhaps better known to us on campus at the present time are the activities of K. K. G. during the first year. For this year has found members of K. K. G. represented in almost every activity on campus, and in many of these activities, K. K. G. tops any other sorority in membership. The officers of K. K. G. for 1949-50 may be proud of their record and many accomplishments. These officers are as follows: Pres.—Loren Anderson, V. Pres.—Betty Fischer, Soc. Chairman—Marjorie Brian, Membership Chairman—Jean Ann Lindsey.

Among the people who have also aided in maintaining the high standard of this fine sorority are the adviser: Mrs. Harold Smart, Miss Geraldine Suriner, Mrs. Charles Warner, Miss Polly Tanguay, Miss Jean Hinsley, Miss Marjorie Hickman, and Mrs. Charles Dunham. To forget the housemother would be ungrateful and particularly with a housemother like the fine and personable Mrs. Rich.

With the beginning of the 1950-51 term, the new officers are setting plans and building hopes for Kappa's future. Leading the line of officers are Pres.—Lydia French, V. Pres.—Mary Jean Minchan, Membership Chairman—Patricia Walsh, Social Chairman—Lucile Howe. Accompanying the officers into their new year is the indispensable member of the house, "Blackie," their pet dog. They tell me that "Blackie" doesn't mind seeing men in the living room, but that she gets "upset" when men enter any of the other rooms. Plans for the future include the use of a fast growing Building Fund to purchase a more spacious home for Kappa Kappa Gamma.

Bus Ad Club
The Bus Ad Club will hold a meeting on March 29th at 7:15 at Skinner Auditorium. Any interested economics or business majors are invited to attend.

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to milk a cow (their first attempt) and the audience many a chuckle. This event was won by a Sigma Kappa pledge Eleanor Caulk, '53.

Climaxing the day's competition was the judging of the Premier Showman, Prof. T. V. Tirrell, U of N.H. and Prof. R. Hallmark, U of Conn. had the unenviable job of deciding among the 10 winners. In stiff competition, Dan Hurd '51 was chosen Premier Showman, and Bob Law '51, Reserve Premier Showman.

Exhausted animals returned to the barns for a bit of hay, but students went on to Drill Hall for the strenuous hilarity of a square dance—a fitting end for the day.

An Hus Club

At a meeting of the Animal Husbandry Club on Tuesday, March 14, Mr. John Lathrop, manager of Laurel Hill Farm, discussed the famous Sunstein strain of Angus Beef Cattle and explained what he regarded as the best beef program for this section of the country. It is his contention that Angus are the best beef breed for New England and the other eastern states. Following the talk, refreshments of punch and pretzels were served.

Election of officers was held at the brief business meeting preceding the talk, and the following members took office:

President: Rosee Bemis; Vice president: Dick Barnicle; Treasurer: Chuck Simons; Secretary: Byron Clough.

This year the club has attained distinction as being the largest and most active departmental club on campus. A lot of credit is due outgoing President "Red" Trimble for the excellent job that he has done.

Next Tuesday, March 28, the speaker will be Mr. Waikko Holopainen, a dairy cattle farmer from Hubbardston, Mass. It is hoped that there will be a good turn-out.

Olericulture Club

The Olericulture Club is having a banquet at the Yankee Peddler Inn, in Holyoke, on Thursday, March 23. It is hoped that there will be a good turnout as there has been at the past club meetings. Don't forget now, next Thursday night, and be prepared for a merry evening.

Kaleidoscope

by Ed Craft

"You may as well call drawing and fencing education, as a general knowledge of botany or entomology. Stuffing birds or playing stringed instruments is an elegant pastime, and a resource to the idle, but it is not education, it does not form or cultivate the intellect."

John Henry Newman
"The Idea of a University" VIII

This quotation from Newman provides a springboard sufficiently strong, to pitch us into the center of the educational fray. The obviation of practical experience which permeates Newman, is an attitude which is very generally accepted in American educational circles today, and if not accepted, it is, nevertheless, widely practiced.

1. That specialization has become a necessity in our complex society—but specialization to the point of complete ignorance of other human activity is an unprofitable attitude in any society.

2. That recreation, turned to advantage, builds a sound body to house a sound mind.

Our immediate province is that in which we recognize that even the most thinking individuals find the need for relaxation and diversion;

and that such time should be profitably indulged, is our main interest.

Now it is our first belief that an avocation in an art or craft is a profitable field in which to relax. One need not even attempt professional status to obtain a maximum of pleasure. And further, when courses in the arts and crafts are given in universities, they not only can be, but ought to be sufficiently skilled in art or craft so that he can find relaxation and aesthetic pleasure in working with his hands while his intellect has an opportunity to catch up with itself. It is one of the saddest commentaries on our educational system that students are continually forced to operate in the fine art of profitable relaxation. The gross cost to society in the production of such individuals is beyond estimation, for intelligent individuals, who do not know how to spend free time profitably, are a burden to society.

We should conclude that if five is considered to be a "healthy" number of courses to be taken in a semester, the fifth should be a diversionary course in one of the arts or crafts.

An interest, apart from one's professional endeavor, is so vital a part of education that to overlook it, we reap havoc on ourselves and on our society.

thought and reason are not the product of living in an academic vacuum and that learning is only valuable in the degree to which it is productive when practically applied. He even goes so far as to say that recreation and accomplishments (acquirement of perfection in a special area) are not education in the "liberal" sense.

We shall not endeavor to discuss the pros and cons of recreation and specialization for two obvious reasons:

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2. That recreation, turned to advantage, builds a sound body to house a sound mind.

Several experts will be on hand at the next meeting of the University Rod and Gun Club to show the techniques of tying streamers, drys, and wets. The meeting will be held at 7:30 on Thursday, March 23 in the Forestry Building Annex. Two films will be shown before the demonstrations. All are invited.

Rod and Gun Club

A singing group of thirty-two picked voices, the Robert Shaw Singing group composed of thirty-two picked voices, will present the second Concert Association Program of this semester at the Cage tonight at 8:00 p.m. The program will range from Bach to songs of the American musical theatre.

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Action Pending On Tuition Hike; Solon's Petition Opposes Increase

100 Legislators Indicate Desire
To Scrap Tuition Boost of \$100

Action on the proposed increase which would raise the UM tuition rate to \$200 annually is now being considered by a subcommittee of the University's Board of Trustees, President Ralph Van Meter announced this week.

The decision whether or not to double the present \$100 tuition fee is the concern of the Board of Trustees. Dr. Van Meter, who is a member of the five-man subcommittee, stated that two meetings have already been held to consider the proposal and a third is planned within the next two weeks. He added that he did not know that a definite decision would be made at the forthcoming meeting.

Dr. Van Meter declined to make a prediction on the possibility that the increase would be approved, but he commented that a petition, to oppose any raise in tuition, which was signed by 100 members of the state legislature this week would have "great weight" in the consideration of the committee.

The legislators' petition was sent to the Board of Trustees on Monday. Continued on page 3



**Robert Shaw Chorale of 32 Voices
In Concert Ass'n Offering Tonight**

The Concert Association's second offering of the semester will hit the campus tonight as the Robert Shaw Chorale presents a program of light and classical music in the cage.

A singing group of thirty-two picked voices, the Shaw Chorale has appeared with the NBC symphony in its Saturday performances, and with orchestras led by Stowski and Koussevitzky.

Shaw himself has been a guest conductor of the CBS, NBC and ABC symphony orchestras. In addition to his radio work Shaw trained choruses for the aquatics at the New York and San Francisco expositions and for Broadway productions of "Carnival Jones", "Laughing Room Only" and "Seven Lively Arts".

Popkin, Alberts Elected To Head 1951 Index Staff

Last Tuesday night, the members of the Index staff elected the officers for the 1951 Index. Elected to the position of Editor-in-Chief was Gerald Popkin, class of '51; elected to the

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Skits, Sings, Dances Slated For Greek Week

Fraternity skits, fraternity and sorority sings, a sorority declamation, a Chowder and Marching Society concert, round robin costume dances, and the colorful Greek Ball, are events

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Proposed Dining Hall Discussed At Convocation

Possibilities for a new dining hall, to serve 1000 was the subject of a talk by Mrs. Albert Farnsworth at a convocation for women last Thursday.

Mrs. Farnsworth who is chairman of the legislative committee of the University Women's Advisory Council, pointed to a current need for adequate dining facilities and discussed the problem of obtaining the \$650,000 appropriation required to build a proposed new dining hall.

The Women's Advisory Council is made up of the representatives of various women's organizations and prominent women interested in furthering the interests of the women's program at the University. It was influential in the expansion of the School of Home Economics and is currently sponsoring a campaign for the dining hall project.

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FOLK FESTIVAL—Above is a colorful American folk dance, one of the many folk dances of various nations presented last Friday night in Drill Hall. The folk festival was part of the 14th Annual Recreation Conference which yearly draws hundreds of people.

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Festival Friday Feature of Rec Conclave

by Helen Turner

"Recreation—An Essential in Today's Living," was the theme of the 14th Annual Recreation Conference held here on March 23, 24, and 25.

Co-sponsors for the conference were the Eastern and Western Massachusetts Recreation Associations. Those attending included volunteers and professional leaders of organizations and agencies, representatives of recreation committees and commissions, and all interested in communal recreation.

Among the events Friday was a talk by Dr. William LeRoy Black of Carnegie Institute of Technology. The Nash Motors has invested fifty million dollars in the past four years for expansion and modernization. They are now adjudging the query of whether or not the American public

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Quarterly Elects

It was announced this week that six competitors have been appointed to the staff of the Quarterly.

Joining the staff as Associate Editors are Ruth Camann, '51. New members of the Literary Board are George Cliche '51, Al Governor '51, Richard Lettis '52, Louise Monney '53, and Joe Towler '52.

Editor Faye Hammel announced that contributions date for the final issue of the magazine have been set for Monday, April 24. Anyone wishing to submit short stories, poems, controversial articles, book reviews, photographs, or art work is urged to

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Health Council Gives Report On Mess Hall

The University Health Council, appointed by President Van Meter, held its first meeting Tuesday, March 21. The Council, a faculty-student board, will serve as a policy making body,

working in conjunction with the University Health Officer, and dealing with the problems concerning sanitation, prevention of disease, and care of the sick and injured.

Named to the Committee are Dean Robert S. Hopkins, Jr., Chairman, Dean Helen Curtis, Dr. Leon A. Brad-

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Bus Ad Students Run Poll on Nash Midget Car Scheme

by Gerald Seidenberg

A survey of the University of Massachusetts students about a new \$1,000 automobile was recently conducted on the campus by market research classes of the Department of Business Administration under the supervision of instructor Dennis E. Hummel. The project was carried out with the cooperation

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IN OPPOSITION

We noted recently, with some astonishment, the establishment of a subcommittee of the University Board of Trustees for the purpose of investigating a proposed rise in tuition from \$100 to \$200 per year. The astonishment, which bordered on disbelief, was based on a previously formed opinion that the Board of Trustees was an organization dedicated to providing low cost education for children of Massachusetts families of the lower and middle income bracket. Such a proposal as is now before the subcommittee, however, is hardly consistent with what we have felt to be the purpose of the Board.

The reason given for the proposed hike is the establishment of a fund to provide 280 scholarships to the University for deserving students. We are heartily in favor of the scholarship plan, but would like to point out that, in the first place, the tuition increase would provide a sum far in advance of that needed to pay for the scholarships. There are almost 4000 students now attending the University, and the revenue from a \$100 increase in tuition would amount to approximately \$400,000 per year. Estimated cost of the scholarship plan has been set at \$250,000 per year. To date, no explanation has been given for the discrepancy in the figures.

In the second place, is it fair to deprive one group of students of an opportunity to receive a college education in order to transfer that opportunity to another group? Under the scholarship plan, 280 students would annually be provided with free education at the University. But what has obviously not been considered is that to a number far greater than that, the extra \$100 per year might mean the difference between whether or not they would be able to enroll.

Certainly the scholarship plan is an excellent one; but just as certainly the method of financing it is unfair and illogical. The subcommittee has not yet made its report to the Board of Trustees, but it is our sincere hope that the report, when made, will take the form of a firm veto of this plan which is so distinctly foreign to the ideals of the organization which the Trustees represent.

Notice to Campus Organizations

In line with proposed reorganization plans, and in an attempt to straighten out the system which has existed in regard to news from campus organizations, the COLLEGIAN is instituting the following plan for notices from clubs, fraternities, and sororities to appear in future issues of the paper. This plan will take effect with the next issue of the COLLEGIAN which is to appear the week following vacation.

All notices which are to appear in the COLLEGIAN on Thursday must be in the office by noon of the Monday preceding the issue. Separate boxes for clubs, fraternities, and sororities will be placed on the desk just inside the door to receive this material. All notices are to be typed to COLLEGIAN specifications—36 spaces to the line and double spaced—and are to be kept to a minimum length. Any notices which fail to make the deadline, or do not meet the above specifications will not be printed.

Any special events connected with the organization which might be of general campus interest will be covered by the COLLEGIAN if notification of the event is placed in the box by noon of the Monday preceding the one before the issue in which it is to be covered. Information as to the type of event, the time and place, and the name of some person who may be contacted by the paper in connection with the event should be included in the notice. The COLLEGIAN reserves the right to decide whether such events are of general campus interest.

Since there have recently been several complaints from organizations which have turned in articles only to have them left out of the paper, the COLLEGIAN is instituting this new system in an effort to insure fair coverage of all organizational activities on campus. If the clubs, fraternities, and sororities cooperate with this plan, it is believed that the situation will be greatly improved.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

RIFLE TEAM

Dear Sports Editor and Staff:

The boys on the Rifle Team wish to thank you for the article last week on our current season. We have been striving for some four months now to get a little recognition, and we appreciate the flyer. BUT (famous little word) we have some gripes to air.

Buy Yourself A View Book

Earlier this year, the University published a pictorial engagement calendar, financed by an advance appropriation from the College Store, and selling for the small sum of 90 cents. 3000 of the books were placed on sale, with approximately 2000 purchases needed for the financial undertaking to break even. Since it was a non-profit venture, any excess was to be placed in a fund to allow for loss on future publications of the book.

To date only 1449 of the calendars have been sold, 1149 to students. The remaining 300 were purchased by the President's office and the Alumni office at cost.

When it became apparent that the need for 2000 would not be purchased, the price of the calendar was lowered to 45 cents per copy, in order that enough might be sold to make up the appropriate \$600 deficit incurred by the College store in financing the publication. Despite the lowered price, the calendars are still not being purchased.

There is no need for this situation to exist. Here the University has provided the campus with an opportunity to purchase an engagement calendar complete with 54 photographs of campus life—a calendar which well might serve as a viewbook. Students and faculty alike should have been quick to take advantage of the opportunity.

Unless the deficit is made up by further sale of the books, it is doubtful that the calendar will be published another year. If anything is to be done to prevent the situation, it must be done by student and faculty purchases of the books. It is your personal job to see that this venture does not fail. If you have not already purchased a calendar, do so now. And if you have bought one, buy another and give it to a friend for Easter.

Kaleidoscope

by Ed Craft

In a discussion concerning what is ethically right or wrong, it is well to observe the probable origins of rightness and wrongness, and to observe the reasons why such beliefs are important.

Historically considered, it is entirely probable that ethics first existed in a less communicable form, as in the language of action or practice, among primitive and semi-family communities of men, as families grew and became clans, and clans developed further into tribes. The increase in population brought with it an increased need for a stabilizing influence which would determine the action of an individual in a given society. Running parallel to the development of ethics, was an increasing awareness that nature was often times overly generous—that there was famine and plague and any number and variety of intrusions by nature on the genus man. Consequent to that observation was the idea that a power, or powers, manipulated nature, and that the only way to get along with those foreign agents was to show due respect. It therefore probably followed that assumption of the powers that be, through ritual only, but through the codification of a system of ethics was necessary. The net result was a kind of institutionalizing action which has become increasingly dogmatic and unenlightened.

Constantly improving systems of communications have brought various cultures into close relationship, with the result that there has been an element of comingling of ethical principles which has not always proven itself to be in the interest of the society adopting the foreign elements. The growth of a system of ethics is one of the largest single contributing factors to the concept of human dignity—a gross misconception which is today so popularly vociferated.

The great tragedy lies in the fact that it is within this primitive, vague, unrealistic, and superficial structure that we are today confined, that we must make decisions concerning such pressing subjects as euthanasia, the hydrogen bomb, pre-marital experimentation, problems in social welfare, and literally hundreds of other questions. Many of these significant questions are considered volatile and are therefore without the realm of either necessity or propriety, when, in fact, their apparent urgency demands action. We ought to note that volatility is made to hinge on an outmoded ethical structure.

The doctrine of progress, like any other doctrine when carried to extreme, is undesirable, but when the desire for change makes itself substantially apparent,

the staff meeting this Thursday at 5 p.m. The rule for expulsion from the staff missing three meetings will be strictly enforced.

all staff members are advised to attend.

The lad in the picture called Buff, is called Bliss in the article, and his name is Buss, Donald J. Furthermore, I can't Buff, Bliss or Buss in the picture, but rather Hall, John, Captain of the Team. Stan Barron of the article is F. Barron of the picture, much the same as Tom Waltz of the picture is the Tom Wolf of the article. By the way, while we're on the subject of names, who is William Thacher? We never heard of the guy. We could have used him in the BU match.

True, Captain Willoughby directs the team. He is herited the job from Major Vogel, though, Sgt. Harr Platt is still the coach, and is still putting in ten hours plus per week dodging brass on the firing line. It will be the Platt-meet that go to the National Matches in Boston on April first. Admittedly our set-up is unorthodox. It has to be. The only school equipment we have is a bunch of worn-out coats (check the picture). The Military Department furnishes us with rifles and provides the ammunition free of cost to the school, and they are under no obligation to do this. The school pays Sgt. Platt an exceedingly small fee for the amount and quality of the coaching received. It is a great thing for the school that these men love the game.

This extent.

The only optical equipment we have is a donated German "88" sight, which has been saved in two that two shooters may work simultaneously. The rifles are nearly thirty years old, and were not designed for this type of match shooting. Several of them are being held together with tape, so that the shooter might get a better grip. Contrast his with the Coast Guard, Harvard, New Hampshire, etc., sporting match rifles, and periodic rebarreling, and you have a tribute to the record of this team not mentioned before. I am afraid that if some of the opponents hadn't loaned us some of their optical equipment, for example, we wouldn't have beaten them.

We have had a young team this year. The four shooters are all first-year shooters, and all four are back next year. Keep us in mind for next September. We'll write the articles on the range.

Bill Stanley '32

Ed. Note. Your letter, Mr. Stanley, shows a great deal of thought, and is extremely well written. The editor of the COLLEGIAN would like to extend to you an invitation to join the paper's staff at this time. If you have any interest in journalism at all, and if you personally like to see the rifle team taken care of, this print, this would be an excellent opportunity. In a recent good luck to the team in the Boston match at its coming seasons of play.

PRO AND CON

Dear Editor:
Orchids to Judith Stoyle for her criticism of the "green sheet."

Poison Ivy to the Editor for her obviously unreasoned assumption that "the major portion of the campus did not receive the April Fool's edition with glee."

Index Elections . . .

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position of Business Manager was Warren Alberts, class of '51.

Mr. Popkin has served for two years on the Index staff. In his sophomore year, he became Sports Editor and the following year he was promoted to the position of Associate Editor. In addition to his activities in the staff, Mr. Popkin is also Advertising Manager of the Collegian; plays the slide trombone for the University jazz band and symphony orchestra; and, for the past two years, has been the student correspondent for the *Boston Globe*.

Mr. Alberts is a recent transfer from Devens. While there, he served as a member of the Statesmen staff; was a disc jockey on the Devens radio station; and was business manager of the T.V. club there.

Both Mr. Popkin and Mr. Alberts are members of Alpha Epsilon Pi fraternity.

Mr. Popkin announced that appointments to the editorial staff will be made sometime in April.

Quarterly Elections . . .

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Contact the editors in the Quarterly office in Room 4, Memorial Hall. Office hours are held on Monday and Friday from 1 to 3, and on Wednesday morning from 10 to 12.

Robert Shaw . . .

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Moussorgsky, VII. American folk song sketches. "Black Jack Davy," "Little Bird, Go Through my Window" and "Creep Along Moses," all by Robert MacDonald, Hilton Hart, William Lawson, Albert Emerick, Raymon Eames, Burton Wolinski, and Robert Read.

—Photo by Tague

HOME EC FOR BOYS—Girls are not the only cooks turned out by the School of Home Economics these days. The Stockbridge Hotel Stewards course includes Foods and Nutrition S-2, which requires the boys to cook and eat their own meals. Eating a late (2:00 o'clock) breakfast of pancakes and sausages are: (from right clockwise around the table) Robert MacDonald, Hilton Hart, William Lawson, Albert Emerick, Raymond Eames, Burton Wolinski, and Robert Read. —Photo by Tague

EVERYONE GOES TO THE U STORE

You would not go home barefoot!

Don't lose dignity and poise. On your first trip home this year—WEAR A HAT. But be sure it is styled right for college men. Such a hat is KNOX.

"Hats made so fine that all others must be compared to them"

Vincent Youman's "Hit the Deck" Coming in April

Bruce T. Bowens

I note from the *New York Times* that the Rev. Edward N. West, canon of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, has a book entitled "Hit the Deck." The book is a practical and specific, blunt yet sympathetic book on a new method of psychotherapy that bypasses the analyst—is fast, saves money, and works. Third big printing, \$3.75! See how simple it is! And On

sweat-songs of the hucksters. Everything is really very simple. Does psychotherapy seem difficult and complex? Well, note this as in the *New York Times*: "Can't afford analysis? Read *Conditioned Reflex Therapy*, by Andrew Salter, a practical and specific, blunt yet sympathetic book on a new method of psychotherapy that bypasses the analyst—is fast, saves money, and works. Third big printing, \$3.75!"

Want to play the piano? Astound your friends. Just send \$2.00 to some character named Dale Shears (he'll spell it for you), and he will send you his special method by which you can learn to play in just one day. You don't need any musical talent. So help me, you don't even need a piano!

Find it difficult to decide what books to read or what to eat? Join the Book-of-the-Month Club and the Fruit-basket-of-the-Month Club and your worries are over. Experts will eliminate the necessity for cultivating taste.

Find it difficult to read the magazines? Don't bother, silly. *Reader's Digest* has read them for you, digest them, eliminated the subversive material and now regurgitates them reduced, masticated, purified, and all wrapped in a convenient pocket size. (We seem to be able to tote the whole world in a pocket these days.) Or if even this pap is too much for your tired stomach muscles, *Life*, *Look*, and *See* have reduced all the problems of life to full-page pictures. You may be surprised at how simple all these problems really are. They can usually be boiled down to the fundamental and fascinating problem of containing an over-stuffed bosom in a French bathing suit.

Of course, it is not only our butts that are being cuddled. Our minds too are being seduced by the

problems of life—so simple that we can usually be told to get out on news on this campus, I am further qualified by being a member of the present PR Committee. To anyone but a petty quibbler such qualifications should be more than enough.

The third point he made is even more ridiculous than the first: I write the Senate report in order to get my name known on campus. It may seem impossible for a Senator to realize that anything can be done for altruistic purposes alone. Perhaps he hasn't been on campus long enough to have learned the facts of life—or maybe he judges others from his own reactions.

Disregarding these remarks—which seems to be the only sensible thing to do with both subject and speaker, I find the basic problem in the minds

Scholarship Fund . . .

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all income from their coke machines. A plan has been approved to install cigarette machines in all the dorms, and representatives of the dorms announced that all proceeds from these machines would also go to the drive.

Mr. Feinman also announced that a Mardi Gras will be held on campus on April 29. Any fraternity, dormitory, or other campus organization that wishes to enter a booth in the festival must register with either Mr. Feinman or Mr. Camara by April 14. All proceeds from the Mardi Gras will go towards the scholarship fund.

Math Club

These readers who have asserted upon occasion that all mathematicians are "Fakers" will soon have an opportunity to see one. On Wednesday, April 12, in Skinner Hall, Room 4 at 7:30, the Math Club will be addressed by Prof. William F. Cheney, head of the Dept. of Math at the Univ. of Connecticut.

Not only is Prof. Cheney noted as a mathematician, but he is also recognized as a thoroughly entertaining magician. Prof. Cheney will utilize his magical talents in addressing the Math Club. All are welcome.

—Photo by Tague

THOMAS F. WALSH

College Outfitter

Writer Answers Charge Of Criticizing Senate

by Gin Leesce

of many of the Senators is whether the Collegian should be



SPORTS



Candidates Listed For Baseball, Spring Football

Forty-three candidates, including five lettermen, reported for baseball practice at the Cage last Wednesday, Coach Earl Lorden reported this week. Combined batting and pitching practice was held at the Cage on Wednesday and Thursday, according to an official physical education department bulletin.

Lettermen returning to the squad are pitcher Charles Taugh, infielder Francis Moriarty, catcher Arnold Pinto, and midfielders Don Costello, captain of the 1950 Redmen, and Don Quimby. Shortstop Jim Turco also has had previous varsity experience with the UM team.

Several members of the 1950 baseball team are competing for infield positions with the Lordenmen this spring, among them high scoring forward Bill Prevey, Paul Bordreau, and Ray Gunn.

Costello was one of two UM players who topped the .300 mark during the 1949 season. He held down the regular centerfield berth for last year's Redmen, and was elected captain at the close of the season.

The other candidates are as follows:

Pitchers: Edward Aronian, Gerald Carey, Chaskey Corkum, Robert Kroek, Edward Frydryk, Edward McNaughton, Abraham Polonsky, Roger Streetter, Michael Garvey.

Infielders: Lewis Baldwin, Donald Calkins, Arthur Dilo, John Estelle, Ernest Gronlund, Herbert Lindner, Gene Misiaszek, Frank O'Keefe, Steve Ovian, Jack Pyro, Jack Ryposo, Vernon Thomas.

Catchers: Jack Sullivan, Charles Nystrom, Don Smith.

Outfielders: Peter D'Arrigo, Francis LaJoie, John Martin, Orson Miller, Henry Pappas, Lawrence Rutman, Gordon Taylor, George Wesniak.

Baseball practice will continue in the Cage until weather conditions permit outdoor drill.

UM Spring Soccer Has 21 Candidates

A total of 21 candidates have turned out for Spring soccer practice to date, it was announced this week by Coach Larry Briggs. Largest turnouts were on Monday and Tuesday of last week when 18 candidates were present at the practice sessions.

Soccer manager Bellas released the following list of candidates: Goules; Whitmore and Spiller; Fullbacks: Embler, Brown, Cole, Thowards, Seifert, and Lapon. Halfbacks: Anderson, Dickinson, Ritzl, Cole, Mitchell, and Bragiel. Wings: Hunter, Johnson, and Graham. Inside: West, Koski, Lit, Curran, Libuha, Durant, and Fox. Centre-Forward: Tucker.

Golf Course Rates Set For Students

Information regarding special student memberships at the Amherst Golf Club was released this week by Leonard F. Parkinson of the University Nutritional Laboratory.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the Amherst Golf Club, the student membership fee was set at \$9.00 to the end of the semester. Special rates for summer membership are available upon application.

The Amherst Golf Club is an attractive 9-hole course located on South Pleasant Street just below the Boston and Maine railroad tracks. The course will be opened for regular play about April 22nd, weather permitting.

FROSH BASEBALL

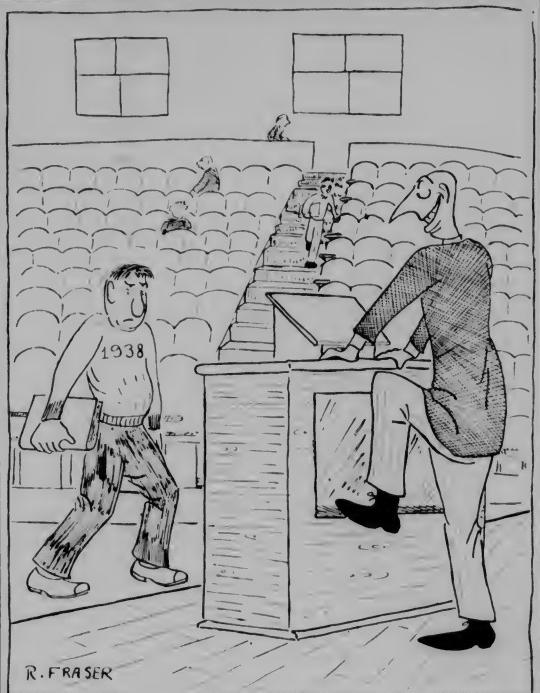
The Physical Education Department announces a meeting for Freshman Baseball candidates on Thursday at 5 p.m. in Room 10 of the Curry S. Hicks Building. All candidates are requested to attend.

APOLOGY

The Collegian would like to extend an apology for the inaccurate head on last week's Senate story. Contrary to the head, the administration did not block Spring Day. As a matter of fact, it had not been approached on the matter.

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"Well Boopchick, back for another try, I see!"

Tennis Schedule Announced

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Fifty-three candidates have reported for spring football practice at the University of Massachusetts, it was learned this week.

With the abandonment of the traditional single-wing in favor of the split-T formation, Coach Tommy Eck has his work cut out for him from now until September. Eck, who returned recently from Norman, Oklahoma, after picking up pointers from Oklahoma mentor, Bud Wilkinson, has been drilling his hopefuls in the fundamentals of the split-T all week.

Candidates: Al Bazer, Ray Beaula, Russ Beaumont, Richard Boynton, Frank Driscoll, Robert Driscoll, George Doherty, Edward Hession, Dick Gleason, John Nichols, Bernard Noyme, Philip Roth, Al Turcotte, Bob Warren, Jack Benoit, Connie Fanan, Lawrence Jones, Richard Johnson, Gross, Gen Kowalki, Vincent Keane, Emery Knight, Adolph Paesas, Fred Smith, Al Speck, Ray Bartle, Gordon Benson, George Becknell, Joseph Connors, Richard Conway, Edward Craig, Charles Demers, Fred DiGiammarino, Ray Fisher, Charlie Frangos, David Fucillo, Donald Gahan, William Graham, John Gravny, Lawrence Haworth, William Hitchcock, George Howland, Donald Juska, Paul Motto, William Muolo, Louis Prokopowich, Noel Roebenacker, Paul Robbins, Richard Spencer, Tony Szek, Fred Troy, Vilie Vililes, Charles Whipple.

The complete schedule:

September 30	Bates	H
October 7	Worcester Tech	A
14	Williams	A
21	Rhode Island	A
28	Northwestern	H
November 4	Vermont	H
11	Springfield	H
18	Tufts	A

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Nine Conn. Valley Schools To Be In Student Scientific Conference

by Barbara Curran

The fifteenth annual Connecticut Valley Scientific Conference is to be held on the U of M campus this year on Saturday, April 29. Participants in this conference will include students from Smith College, Springfield College, U of M, Connecticut College for Women, Wesleyan, American International College, Mount Holyoke, St. Joseph's College, and U of Connecticut.

In 1948, the conference was resumed, after the war, at Connecticut College; in 1949 it was held at Wesleyan; this year the U of M is host.

The purpose of the conference as stated at Mount Holyoke in 1930 is "to encourage among college students an interest in the various fields of science, and to give an idea both to our own students, and through their representatives, to the other colleges, of what is being done in college science departments."

UM Students In Charge

The conference is being organized by U of M science students. The committee for the convention includes: Anne A. Harrington, '50, Home Economics, Chairman; Selwyn Taylor, '51, Geology, Vice Chairman; Jocko Roth, '50, Zoology, Treasurer; and Barbara E. Washburn, '50, Bacteriology, Secretary. Mr. N. James Schoomaker, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, is faculty advisor for the conference.

Rec Conference ...

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At the first meeting, plans for the procedure of the committee were drawn up and the program for the rest of the semester was planned. The dining hall situation was termed as "good" by Dr. Bradley. The problem has been relieved by knowing the number of students eating at each one. However, the employee situation was tastefully served.

"Jazz" Jasinski, as Mr. Show Business, provided the continuity and cueing in the acts with memorable restraint.

All that was missing was a florish and drums. His mirthful intro nicely covered an occasional time lag between the acts.

Faith Fairman, backed by the Flora girls, that proverbial bevy of buxom beauties, led off with a creditable miming of Eva Tanguay, the "I Don't Care" girl. This was followed by a skit involving a con man who gets conned; conny and marks.

Diane Speed, with male chorus swaying in the background, warbled a couple of songs in the Lillian Russell tradition. Judy Broder and Edna face routine and Lydia French and Cohen went through a lively black Jean Sawdaye pleased with their Galatea and Shean take-off.

Thelma Litsky wound up the Gay Nineties with a driving rendition of Sophie Tucker's "Some of These Days."

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Varieties Finale

Health Council ...

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Dr. Ernest J. Radcliffe, Mr. Warren McGuirk, Mr. Herbert A. Randolph, and Prof. Earl J. Anderson, of the faculty, and Thelma Litsky and Bruce Wogan, Mr. Wogan will serve as secretary.

Kippers and Crumpets, a parody on Noel Coward's clipped dialogue and British drawing room drama, featured a mildly amusing mixture of dialects: French, Irish, British, and Brooklynesque. Sir Gillette was a convincingly lecherous Lady Justice, Ed Parington, who spent most of the time being convincingly dead, managed to bite off a few choice remarks before assuming the horizontal. Mayne Work had a field day as an ex-patriot gal from Gowanus posing as a French maid. Seymour Frankel, Bruce Wogan, and Bob Murray bantled their dialect chores with apparent relish. The edge was taken off this skit by the interjection of some crude, if not downright snooty, jibes which we understand escaped the wary eyes of the Adelphia and Isogen censors and unbeknownst to producers Leesee and Levine remained in the show.

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Topics from the Tower

By Barb Curran

WMUA does it again with a brand new radio show—*On the Town*. This live audience participation program was aired for the first time last night at 7:30 from Skinner Hall.

The talents of the Collegians, a campus band; master of ceremonies, Dick Green; John Nobille, announcer; an outstanding young lady on campus; and three unsuspecting male guests were combined to present to the campus a lively half-hour show.

This weekly show written by Dick Green and Dave Melzer presents a program in which all on campus may participate. Each week an outstanding girl on campus will be chosen by the WMUA board to be guest for the week. Her identity will remain concealed until the night of the broadcast. In addition, three male contestants will be chosen to vie for the opportunity to go out on a date with this young lady. Each man will be given three minutes of radio time to convince her to go out with him. The winner who will be chosen by the girl, will have a date for the next evening with her on the town.

The young lady will not see her suitor nor will the men see the girl. However, the audience will have full view of all contestants.

Varieties ...

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vived about the best entertainment of the evening. (*The Time Of Our Lives*)

Bill Learned and Tom McCarthy, the raunchiest looking pair of G.I.'s we've seen since Willy and Joe fought their way across the pages of *Stars and Stripes*, were the guests of three equally improbable men: sergeants, Hank Shemsky, Herb Holden, and "Jazz" Jasinski, who welcomed them with "If I Knew You Were Coming I'd Baked A Cake." This skit was one of the best in the entire show.

Handel Revised

Writers always tread on hallowed ground when attempt to wring humor out of a Shakespearean tragedy. The gulls are almost always tragic. The blending of Elizabethan English and Brooklynese seems to them, though it's difficult to understand why, a sure-fire formula for evoking belly laughs. Betty Hutton achieved a degree of success with her "Jump version" of "Hamlet" in a recent movie but we feel that her dynamic personality was largely responsible for it. Something of that nature may be said about "Omelet," as presented in "Ham'n Cheesecake." Jim Stapleton, in a manner slightly reminiscent of Jimmy Durante, portrayed the melancholy Prince. He made the best of some weak dialogue, mugged at the right times, worked for his laughs, and deserves honors for the skit's success. Dick Lershaw played Horatio with celerity which, while ludicrous enough, caused many of his lines to become garbled. The rest of the cast were predominantly caricatures adding little, outside of incongruity, to the show.

Rehearsal for the Drama

This quaint little play about corn and passion was a take-off on "Omelet," the Thomas Lanier Wilsons' thing. Alice Chorebianian acted ecstatically as Sister Sue. Leo Hammel guzzled gin and smoked a corn cob pipe, delivering her lines in a brittle voice. Jim Stapleton's many bleatings and monosyllabic enclitics to Sister Sue all added to the situation of whatever humor was worth.

In all, the Campus Varieties of 1949 was a good show, which, with some careful editing, could have been better. Producers Leesee and Lee are to be congratulated for putting up with a revue that was superior to most student productions and was not too far from joining the famed circle of definite smash hits.

Rec Club

The meeting of the Electrical Engineering Club originally scheduled for March 25 has been cancelled. The speaker was to address the group will speak at a meeting after vacation.



**Major Norm Hays, Oklahoma A&M '40
-Aviation Executive, U.S. Air Force!**



A native of Grove, Oklahoma, Norman Hays graduated from Grove High School in 1935. The following year he entered Oklahoma A&M, where he majored in engineering; also took public speaking.



Active in national 4H Club work while in college, he helped organize its statewide activities, won a national 4H championship in Public Speaking. In 1940 he received his BS degree in engineering.



A month later he began navigator training as an Aviation Cadet. In 1941, he received his navigator's wings and a commission as Second Lieutenant . . . married his college sweetheart.



Sent to an RAF Navigation School in Canada, he graduated with the highest possible rating of Specialist. Norman served overseas for 18 months in the Aleutians, Italy and Saipan.



Accepting a regular commission after the war, he was assigned to development of navigation instruments; navigated the B-29 "Empress of the Skies" on its famous Hawaii-Cairo non-stop flight in 1946.



Typical of college graduates who have found their place in the U. S. Air Force, Major Hays is Chief, Navigation Section, at Headquarters in Washington . . . with a secure career . . . a promising future.



If you are single, between the ages of 20 and 26½, with at least two years of college, consider a flying career as an officer in the U. S. Air Force. You may be able to meet the high physical and moral requirements and be selected for training. If you do not complete Aviator Candidate training, you may return to civilian life or have opportunity to train for an important officer assignment in non-flying fields.

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Tuition Increase ...

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week received recognition throughout the country. Springfield, Boston, and New York papers gave space to the PBS event this past week. Representatives from the national magazines, *Newsweek* and *Mademoiselle*, also covered the function. Other visitors at the event included delegates from Decca Records Co. and MGM Records Co., students from Yale and University of Conn.

Speakers at the event included Mayor Luke F. Ryan of Northampton; E. Turner Cooke, Program Director of WMAS of Springfield; Robert Berger, Decca Records; F. Day Tuttle, Smith Theater Department; A. L. Davis, Western Mass. Electric Co.; and President Cole of Amherst College.

New Musical Show

"What a Difference a Day Makes" — when you hear that theme you'll know that you are listening to the new WMUA musical show—the "Melody Mixers from Middlesex." To brighten up your Friday night, 8:15 to 8:30, tune in to hear the Melody Mixers trio with Sal ChanChilli on the steel guitar, Sherman Rosenthal on the trumpet, and Irv Doross, piano.

This show is the newest audience participation show on campus. It is a show that you can camp out to listen to because it will be on the air every night. The winners will be chosen by the education committee and is soon to be reported back to the legislature for action.

An administration sponsored bill to provide 280 such scholarships is now being considered by the education committee and is soon to be reported back to the legislature for action.

DANCES. Kappa Sigma. Invitation.

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REHEARSAL. Lambda Chi. Bowker Auditorium, 10:00.

Spring recess begins at 12:00 M.

Weekly Calendar

Thursday, March 30

REHEARSAL. A.E.Pi. Bowker Auditorium, 5:00. Q.T.V. Bowker Auditorium, 5:00. Roister Doisters, Bowker Auditorium, 7:00.

MEETING. IZFA Officers Meeting. Hillie House, 6:00.

CONCERT. Robert Shaw Choral.

Physical Education Cage, 8:00.

REHEARSAL. Symphony. Skins Hall, Room 119, 7:30.

MEETING. Intervarsity Bible Club Chapel, Room A, 7:15.

MEETING. Electrical Engineers Club, Guinness Laboratory, 7:30.

FRIDAY, March 31

REHEARSAL. T.E.P. Bowker Auditorium, 3:00. Lambda Chi. Bowker Auditorium, 4:00. Kappa Alpha Theta.

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THE MASSACHUSETTS COLLEGIAN, MARCH 30, 1950

WMUA WEEKLY PROGRAM SCHEDULE

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
3:00 Concert Hall	Afternoon Review	Concert Hall	Afternoon Review	Concert Hall	
4:00 Revolving Bandstand	Revolving Bandstand	Club 600	Revolving Bandstand	Revolving Bandstand	
5:00 Club 600	Deep Purple Time	Club 600	Deep Purple Time	Deep Purple Time	
6:00 Deep Purple Time	Guest Artist	Guest Artist	Guest Artist	Guest Artist	
7:00 Campus News, Sports	Campus News, Sports	Campus News, Sports	Campus News, Sports	Campus News, Sports	
7:30 Campus Hit Parade	Strictly Wax	On the Town	Dixieland	Music Makers	Party Line Request
8:00 Music Quiz	PBS Presents	Keyboard Capers	Newsweek Views	Weekender	
8:15 Piano Portraits	PBS Presents	Listeners Corner	Who's Who	Melody Mixers	
8:30 Here's to Veterans	Listeners Corner	Guest Star	Folksong USA	Clif Child's Music	
8:45 Club 650	News — Music	News — Music	Discology	Clif Child's Music	
9:00 News — Music	News — Music	News — Music	News	News	
9:15 Talent on Campus	Meet The Faculty	Guest Disc Jockey	Guest Disc Jockey	All Request Show	
9:30 5th Row Center	Bing Sings	Whistling in the Dark	Spotlight	All Request Show	
10:00 Symphony Hall	Symphony Hall	Symphony Hall	Symphony Hall	All Request Show	
11:00 Sign Off	Sign Off	Sign Off	Sign Off	Sign Off	Sign Off

Note: All programs subject to change without notice.



DR. ALBERT W. PURVIS

Meteorology Opening

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FRAT NOTES

I. F. C.

Scoring for I. F. competition has been revised and tallied, and, at present, Theta Chi is in first place. A new sport has been added to the competition, and that is swimming. There will be just one meet, probably sometime in April, with all fraternities competing.

Lambda Chi Alpha

The Lambda Chi house has finally settled back on an even keel after the past week of character building, and, believe me, we have built some characters. Many of the pledges, and a few members too, were taken for the traditional "moonlight rides" through the neighboring hills and plains.

The members are finding difficulty in getting accustomed to eating with silverware, as they have had to resort to the caveman style of eating, due to the strange disappearance of the utensils at the very beginning of the up-ising.

Don Salander was recently elected to represent Lambda Chi in the I.F.C. He succeeds John McManus, who deserves the thanks of the fraternity for a job well done. Phil Dean has been elected to fill the office of Vice-president. This was vacated by Bob Mulvaney, who is now leading the life of Riley with Eddie (yawn) Ryan in sunny California.

Congratulations go to Bill Burns for being high scorer of this season's hockey team; also, to Ed Frydryk for a fine job as goalie, and for being elected co-captain of next year's team.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon

Though some two months have passed since SAE's annual formal, the January Thaw, was held few, of course, they were not biased in the least. Well, not much, anyway.

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I will not try to describe the game, but the first half looked like a U. M. Amherst soccer match, and the second half looked like the B. C.-Holy Cross football game. No one seems to know just what the final score was, but officially (?) it was 52-52. Strangely enough, there were no casualties.

Alpha Gamma Rho

A.G.R. recently received a plaque donated by last year's noble ruler, Don Kinsman. On the plaque will be placed the names of those students who receive the highest average each year.

We are proud to announce that through special scientific investigations carried on by pledges George Childs and Red Stein, we have found that it is 1,351 fish-flap or mackerel lengths from Stockbridge Hall to Memorial Hall.

Alpha Epsilon Pi

The brothers and pledges of Phi Chapter of Alpha Epsilon Pi would like to express sincere appreciation and thanks to all those sororities and fraternities who extended offers of aid during the recent fire which destroyed our dining hall; to the brothers and pledges of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, our next door neighbors, who have done more than their share in helping us at the difficult time of settling in our new home; to Hal Fainman, president of the Interfraternity Council, who welcomed the new initiates and spoke briefly on the subject of "Freedom and Security in the World Today".

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Phi Sigma Kappa

On the night of March 15th, 1950, Alpha Chapter of Phi Sigma Kappa held its gala annual Pledge Banquet at the historical Bloody Brook Inn in South Deerfield, climaxing a traditional week of festivities in celebration of the 77th year at the University. On the previous Monday night, March 13th, the following 21 men were initiated into the Fraternity.

Class of '51—Donald Taggart,

Class of '52—Robert Mackenzie, Richard Wonick, Philip Johnson, Henry Pallatoni, and John McLaughlin.

Class of '53—Verne Adams, Edward Sexton, Thomas Murphy, Bruce Thomas, Michael Marcinkowski, Raymond Tenney, Douglas Call, Vance Blake, Russell Briere, John Smidt, Donald Devine, David Tari, and Thomas Honney.

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College A Small Car Booster

In general the survey results tended to show that the college market would be a good one for the small car. Naturally, no definite conclusions can be drawn from all American campuses on the basis of the Massachusetts University study, but our results indicated a favorable reaction towards the small economy car.

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COLLEGIAN

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effort to attend.

Recommend \$20,000 Scholarship Plan

In a recently completed report the state legislature's special commission on education includes a recommendation that the legislature establish a Commonwealth Scholarship Aid Fund which would provide \$20,000 annually in scholarships to the university.

A bill proposing the establishment of such a fund is now before the General Court, and action is expected on it during the present session.

The commission's report estimates that the \$20,000 fund if approved would make it possible "for approximately 100 worthy students (or twenty-five in each class)" to get an education. It also recommends that the Aid system be administered to meet varying needs, that each of the scholarships shall continue for four years, and that the scholarships should not be restricted but should be offered on the basis of scholarship and need.

At present the only scholarship aid at the university is approximately \$19,465 annually from private sources. However, all but \$2,810 of this sum is restricted to students in particular schools or classes, or from particular areas, or in several other special classifications.

Noting that the present, almost entirely restricted aid funds were given at a time when the entering class was 40% or less, the report took into account

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One Of Prize Winning Chorale Groups At IF Sing



Scholarship Fund Used To Aid Worthy Athletes

At the beginning of this school year, a group of people representing the alumni and students felt that something should be done about the prestige, publicity, and athletic prowess of the University. This group felt that with the change in name of the school, the new president, the new athletic director, and the general settling down after the war, the time was ripe to do something to raise the morale of the students, faculty, and alumni. It is well known that the greatest areas for activity are football and basketball. It is also well known that the greatest contribution to student morale is athletic prowess.

With this in mind, two groups were set up to organize and work for the development of these aims. The University of Massachusetts Scholarship Fund, Inc., was passed by the Secretary of State. This group was headed by Allen, head of the University, who led a group of alumni and students all working towards the same objective—a large, powerful, and unknown University.

In addition, the University of Massachusetts Student Scholarship Fund was set up to administer the funds donated by the students. To these groups, Mr. Colwell has been elected to the position of President of the Board of Trustees and Langford has assumed the position of Treasurer. These men will be assisted by the incumbent presidents of the three upper classes of the University.

Miss Ruth Douglas, director of Music at Mt. Holyoke College and Mr. J. Clement Schuyler, Band Director for the Amherst High School and Amherst College were the judges. The awards were based on the following point system: 50 points on the quality of the rhythm, harmony, timbre, and melody; 20 points for the response of the group to their conductor, and his directing; 20 points for the dress and stage appearance of the group; and 10 points for the choice of songs).

Judging this year's winners was a difficult job and the voting was very close. Sig Ep, in taking first place, will entertain the guests with some of their songs.

Gene Williams is well known throughout the country for his "relaxed music". Before the war, Gene was a member of Johnny Long's orchestra. When he was discharged from the Army, Gene went to Hollywood to make a picture with Abbott and Costello and Ginny Simms. While there, Gene worked as a vocalist with Les Elgart, familiar with Carnival Ball gowns. Since then, he has sung with the bands of Bobby Sherwood, Vincent Lopez, and Claude Thornhill. In 1948, Thornhill became ill, and Gene was on his way as a band lead-

Above is Theta Chi's third place winning group. The competition was won by Sigma Phi Epsilon with Alpha Gamma Rho taking second place.

Photo by Tague

Frat Hazing Not Banned Hopkins Denies Reports

In an interview with Dean Hopkins on Tuesday, he denied all recent reports that fraternity hazing and Hell Week has been abolished on this campus. He further went on to make the following statements: National fraternity chapters expressly forbid Hell Week; The University Handbook and Catalogue both forbid hazing (this, however, refers to freshman hazing); the newspaper articles in question were inaccurate; and action is pending on the hazing incidents.

Dean Hopkins did say, however, that action has been taken in the SAE affair but declined to comment further. At the time of writing, Jack Rogers, president of SAE, could not be reached for comment. A member of the administration further disclosed that a letter had been sent to Alpha Epsilon I' in regard to their two pledges who were robbed en route to New York. The letter stated that if a similar incident occurred, drastic action would take place.

Kappa Alpha Theta topped the seniority hierarchy for the second consecutive year, with a vocal presentation of Cole Porter's "I Love You," and the Gus Edwards favorite "By the Light of the Silvery Moon."

Second place in the declamation was awarded first position in the declamation for her rendition of excerpts from "Edward My Son" by Morley and Langley.

Kappa Alpha Theta was the first to organize and work for the interfraternity declamation and sing at Bowler Auditorium Tuesday evening.

Mary Lowry of Chi Omega was awarded first place in the declamation for her rendition of excerpts from "Edward My Son" by Morley and Langley.

On April 8, the Springfield Daily News published a story that all fraternity hazing has been abolished at the University because of the "murder" that occurred before the horrified eyes of an SAE pledge. The article further said that all fraternities on campus were on strict probation pending further action by the administration. Dean MacPherson was quoted as saying that in the future, the advisers will be held responsible for the actions of the fraternities. In addition, President Van Meter declared that the ban on hazing resulted also from condemnation by some frat men as well as officials.

On April 10, the Daily Hampshire Gazette stated that hazing will be abolished at the U.M. in the near future. Dean MacPherson was once again quoted as saying that the individuals involved in the SAE affair had been rounded up and action by the administration was pending.</

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RECESS COMMISSION REPORT

The Collegian congratulates the Special Recess Commission on Education for its comprehensive report on expansion at the University. The needs outlined in the report, including establishment of 100 scholarships, a new dining hall, a unified College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Medical, Dental, and Nursing schools, and full-time deans for the schools of Business Administration and Engineering, have long been recognized by University officials. The Commission's report should pave the way toward the realization of these needs.

A low-cost, high grade education for boys and girls coming from low and middle income families is the primary function of a state university. This function would be impossible if the proposed tuition increase recently made by Thomas H. Buckley, Commissioner of Administration and Finance, were to materialize. The Recess Commission opposes any increase in tuition. They base their opposition on the fact that charges here are excessive. The report points out that costs for board and room at the University are \$188 in excess of the medium cost in public colleges as determined by a recent New York Times survey. Instead of a tuition hike, the Commission recommends establishment of 100 scholarships which would be financed by the State at a cost of not more than \$20,000. The Collegian feels this is admirable in view of the large numbers of qualified persons denied higher education because they cannot afford the University charges.

We also praise the Commission for recommending a long needed new dining hall. Much of the griping about Draper Hall has been made for the sake of talk, but some of the complaints are perfectly justified. The plain fact is, as the Commission's report pointed out, that the dining facilities here are inadequate to serve the large student body. The Commission said it was "appalled at the inadequate dining hall accommodations."

It is our feeling that the Commission's report was made on the basis of existing need, and is not, by any stretch of the imagination, an attempt to gain large appropriations by exaggerating actual conditions. In fact, the recommendations made should be repared as a minimum statement of the facilities, equipment, and personnel required for an efficient university.

GUEST EDITORIAL

As loyal students of the University of Massachusetts, with all due respect for our fellow students, we took rather lightly the statement of Basil Wood, the librarian, to the effect the 2% of the student body were criminals. Perhaps the circumstances under which the statement was made were the cause of its being laughed off as it was by all, including The Collegian. Indeed, we had every right to be put out and, therefore, to ridicule such a strong claim. But should we have allowed it to pass so unnoticed? By now you are probably wondering just what this is all leading up to. Here it is!

Recently an unusual number of students have reported items amiss from coat pockets in the various buildings on campus and even from private rooms in the dorms. This is not accidental, it is becoming too frequent. Several people have left cigarettes and money in their coat pockets in the library, only to return after several hours of study to find empty wallets and similarly vacuumsed pockets. One student put on his coat after class in one of the campus buildings and discovered that ten dollars which had been there when he entered the class was missing. A similar incident occurred in one of the dorms, where one co-ed entered her room and saw her wallet lying empty on the desk.

It is true that there are signs in all buildings reading, YOU ALONE ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR OWN BELONGINGS, but we are certain that they meant, originally, in case of fire or the like, not because your fellow students are dishonest and untrustworthy. Now is the time to put a stop to this. We know that our fellow students are not criminals, certainly we shall never witness grand larceny or murder on campus, but let's not have any more of this petty thievery either. Let's prove that our fellow students are trustworthy and honest. Now is the time before the situation becomes really dangerous. Let's show our librarian

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Mr. Bowens:

I read with considerable interest your column of March 2 and found it most provocative. I must take exception to your remedy for what you call the "existing anarchy" in our government; I cannot but answer emphatically in the affirmative when you ask "Is it bad to grant greater voice to that cultural class traditionality the most self-effacing, idealistic and humanitarian?"

It was either Plato or Aristotle who argued that the best form of government would be absolute monarchy with God as the monarch, but it was agreed even in the age of these Hellenic scholars that the form of the state must fit the conditions of the nation. In the United States we have a republic functioning on those very principles which over-representation of any one group would destroy. One cogent example of what might very possibly result from the political aristocracy which you would establish occurred in merrie old pre-parliamentary England, when the nobility, originally founded on military prowess as the political acumen of the time, developed into an oligarchy where the nobles had only hereditary rights as their principal if not sole merit.

But an even more practical problem in the operation of your "proximate solution" would be to find disinterested officers to administer your examining program. Even if it were desirable, your proposal would hardly be practicable until the nature of man, and consequently of politics, had evolved to the point where government itself hardly be necessary. Until there exist only moral men, your plan would leave in constant jeopardy the "airtight guarantees" which you now admit, are operative.

It would seem inconsistent, moreover, that a man who would oppose the poll tax as a prerequisite for the privilege of voting should also favor limitation of the electorate to a group who could generally afford such a tax easily; it is even more a paradox that you would most certainly oppose the class discrimination exercised through the device of examination as a voting requirement in many of our Southern states, would leave the whole nation susceptible to just such tactics with the inevitable dangers of your plan. The fact that our "intellectual elite" do not constitute a class is no guarantee either that they could not become so constituted or that, having begun on any basis to discriminate, the basis might not be expanded or its purpose aborted.

In my opinion the best answer to the problem of selection of an intelligent electorate is that process of universal education, now being developed in our schools and universities which would produce from the educands a politically wise citizenry. Locke said, in effect, that the public has never been wrong but sometimes has been deceived; only by means of education can we retain the advantages of our system of government and at the same time eliminate its faults.

The fuel of faulty and obsolete institutions of our state is constantly being added to that pyre, the burning of which denotes progress in our time. It is better for us, the youth of the nation, to work for further progress within the sound scheme now in operation than to attempt to supplant that scheme with one so impractically Utopian as yours would be. It would be wiser for us to maintain an historical perspective, to endeavor to ameliorate by steps well calculated, resulting from the most carefully deliberated value judgements.

Very sincerely,
Ruth Camann, '51

Dear Bruce,

At last the spirit moves. For four years I have sputtered and cursed futilely over occasional Collegian articles which were completely antithetical to my views. Such sputtering, however, is about as effective in swaying the popular mind as the wind whirling in our Ellis Elms. "This boat, I cease the chatter and seize the pen, breaking this long journalistic silence, for your last week's column spotlighted a serious issue requiring the mature consideration of us all. I wish to crumble into its elemental clay your last brick." From The Brickyard.

Ethanomia is not new. It is not a novel practice that has but lately sprung up in our neighboring states and in our own Pittsfield. It has its roots in the age-old human abhorrence of the grotesque. Witness the reaction of savagery peoples, past and present, to the birth of a malformed child. The wee one is exposed in a desert place where the elements and the beasts soon dispatch the life from its crooked limbs. Horrible? Uncivilized? And yet today, the man-beast of a father performs the office through the more "civilized" medium of electricity—and is paroled by sympathetic society after two short years!

Three hundred years ago several insane old crones kicked their buckled shoes to the sea breezes on Gallops Hill in Salem. "Witches" roared the Puritan. "Hang them for their lives are no longer of any use to themselves or to the Colony." Today, a pain-crazed woman in her anguish pleads for death. "Incurably cancerous," reasoned the physician. "Kill her, for her life is no longer a source of pleasure to herself or to her kin. The cases differ only in the instrument of slaughter—the first used hemp, the second, a hypo. Yet we condemn Cotton Mather, and condone Herman Sanders.

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have no power to say when we shall appear on the mortal coil—how then can we have the gall, the audacity to name the hour when we shall shuffle off.

Life is a fragile piece of Dresden which is entrusted to us by the Potter at the beginning of a long and bumpy road—a road with gates at frequent intervals. Our job is to guard and cherish this chariot as we proceed along our rugged way and to return it to the Potter unchipped when we come to that final closed gate. Can we say in what condition our delicate burden will be at this barrier? We can. But we can say which of these multifold gates will shut in on face with the Potter standing by, hands outstretched to receive his property? We definitely cannot. If we in despair dash our precious trust to the cobbles before we reach this appointed gate, we have done wrong, in any age, under any code, it is evil to destroy something that is not ours to destroy.

You lift your lip to sneer "tribal codes" and "laws of protoplasm." But the code says that life in my particular foul mass is sacred and must not be discarded like an old coat then I want to belong to that tribe.

Sincerely
Joe Hilyard

Dear Bruce,

In reference to your "Search for Truth," I'd like to present an answer.

Truth is a personal thing. Every individual makes his own search for truth. If his idea of truth happens to dovetail exactly with that of an organization, religion, he is lucky but if it does not correspond with the creed of that religion, then he has found the whole truth. That sounded as if I meant that organized religion holds the only truth. I mean instead that there are few if any people who believe exactly what their creed says to the last period and tactic which they now admit, are operative.

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to be a routine act of generosity. If I give the girl friend a Christmas gift, I know she accepts it with a critical eye. She is figuring out how much I paid for it, how well it stacks up beside the gifts of my rivals, how well it compares with what her girl friend's boy friend gave her.

But giving gifts at odd times, you can really save money. Any little trinket will do the trick. I recall once sauntering in one July 4th and clasping a string of glass beads about a slender neck.

"Why, what are these for?" she asked. Innocent little creature, you know!

"Oh, just because you're you!" I answered, tongue in cheek, must confess. Of course, what she didn't realize was that it was Christmas Day and I was preparing to storm the ramparts. Beads cast about in a gesture of careless affection can be quite a nuisance.

So you see, if I ever go to Siam, I shall make a particular point of alternating my compliances in a sequence just opposite to that of the majority of the Siamese men. Besides, I mean to give you never had the feeling that something you thought, not necessarily about the eternal, was true. You may have had the feeling that something you thought, not necessarily about the eternal, was true. That's all.

"But," you will say, "what of the universal truth?" How many times have you had a thought that you felt was original with you, only to find that a great man of the past have already had the thought and carried it further? Each man must find his own truth; that's all.

First I shall define truth as the case, situation, fact which has existence or reality. There is no absolute criterion of truth. Religions use faith and authority, but as you have shown, they do not have even elements of agreement except perhaps that they worship the supernatural. Mystics claim to be in contact with the "powers" of the universe in individual communion, but we don't know anywhere near about the mind and how it works to be able to truth from this source.

I say that the nearest we can get to truth is through inductive reasoning, the method of science. It is true that science at this time is practically nothing about the "spiritual" side of the universe but that is because investigators have so infinitely small in relation to the "whole."

In our search for truth we might be likened to trying to determine the movements of the planets. In our conceit we think we know so much. Yet we condemn Cotton Mather, and condone Herman Sanders.

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Baseball Season Ahead

The crack of the Bat—the seat in the bleachers—the broiling Sun—Peanuts—Tonic—Anything for comfort—Haspell Refreshable Clothes—See

THOMAS F. WALSH—Naturally

WMUA'S New Program "On The Town" Proves Great Success On First Night

Winner of the first "On the Town" program, a new WMUA feature which had its premier performance Wednesday, March 29, in Skinner Hall auditorium, was Bruce Wogan, most convincing of three males competing for a date with "Mystery Woman" Barbara Konopka.

After successfully persuading Miss Konopka that he is a five-foot, ten-inch tennis player and that she should go on a date with him, Wogan declared, "I feel like a King going out with a Queen."

Miss Konopka was hidden from the three contestants by a screen, but was in full view of the audience. Each candidate, identified by their first names only, was given five minutes in which to explain why he should be the one to escort the lovely Winter Carnival Queen on a date. After hearing three rather embarrassed speeches, the "Mystery Woman" chose Bruce Wogan and they were introduced by "Man About Town" Dick Green, master of ceremonies.

The date which followed consisted of a steak dinner at the Drake Hotel in Amherst, and a movie at the Amherst Theater, entitled "Intruder in the Dust." Transportation for the couple was provided by the Veteran's Taxi Co. Bruce Cooley and Norm Newman, the losers, were each given a carton of Philip Morris cigarettes as consolation prize. Cigarettes were also given each member of the audience.

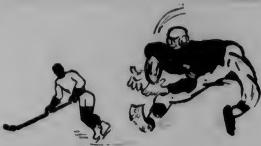
Music supplementing the quiz portion of the program was played by the "Collegians," a campus aggregation with Dan Quigley on the trumpet, Mark Rogers playing sax, drummer Al Nixon, Brad Collins playing trombone and Irv Dorris on the piano. In the future, weekly guest artists.

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Putting Out Rag No Fun; Father Time Unbeatable

by Joe Brode

"I don't like the Collegian," (that's putting it mildly,) or, "The Collegian is good," would be the answers we would receive from the students of this campus to the question, "What do you think of your newspaper?" Did you ever stop to wonder what goes into publishing this weekly rag? Did you wait in long lines in the mail room every Thursday, ever think of the time spent in putting out the paper? And did you who proclaim each week "same old stuff in



SPORTS



Redmen Open Baseball Season Here Saturday Against Clark First of Fifteen Games For Lordmen, UConn Next

Earl Lorden will unveil his 1950 Redmen Saturday afternoon as the Maroon and White plays host to Clark University. In the past it would have been easy to guess the starting pitcher, as the 1950 team possesses a potentially fine pitching staff and there is no choice for the start.

Alumni Field will see only six performances of the Redmen this year, and one of those games, the Commencement game on June 3, will take place after most of the student body has packed up and jubilantly left for their hills. A seventh game, that with Northeastern, was originally scheduled as a home affair for the Redmen, but Director of Athletics Warren McGuirk insisted on holding the high school relays, and as the date will conflict with a ball game, the latter suffered.

After three years in which they have played home and home affairs with the University of Connecticut, the Redmen will meet the UConn's only once. The game is slated for Storrs and will be the second contest for the Lordmen.

Fifteen games are slated for this season, one less than last year when the Maroon and White gained five triumphs. Five games were lost by the narrowest of margins, and the law of averages should get back on Coach Lorden's side.

Keen is the competition for this season's starting positions, and Saturday's affair, therefore, should answer a few questions of the Redmen. Lou Baldwin seems to have the first base job for U-M. A good man with a good glove hand, Lou will have an easy job filling the shoes left vacant by the team's leading hitter last year, Alec Norskey. While his hitting may not equal Norskey's, Baldwin should leave little to be desired in the field.

Just what the rest of the infield will look like come mid-season is difficult to say. Fran Moriarty, second baseman last year, will be holding down shortstop. It's hot and heavy for third base honors between Jack Payne and Swede Swenson. It wouldn't be too great a surprise to see one of them on third and the other on second, both being good men to have around.

Arnie Pinto and Don Smith will give the Lordmen quite a respectable catching staff. A good third man theme is Jack Sullivan, not too strong with the stick, but making up for it with the mask on.

A lot depends on the outfield, which, it is hoped, will come through with a few extra hits to win a few extra games. Captain Don Costello will hold down one position, and if Don Quimby keeps hitting the ball regularly he'll take another spot. The third outfielder is anybody's guess. Marty Anderson and Bill Winn both did commendable work in the outfield last year and may serve part-time duty this season.

Anderson, Ches Corkum, Bill Winn, Bob Kroek, Ed Frydryk and Mike Garvey present quantity and quality to the pitching staff, making it a battle royal for starting assignments.

That's about the setup. Let the breezes cease their blowing and Ole Man Winter finish going. Alumni Field will echo "Play Ball," and base hits, (we hope) for our side.

Tennis Notice

Freshman Tennis Candidates report to Room 7 Phys. Ed. Bldg. on Monday, April 17, between 4:30 and 5:30 p.m.



BASEBALL PRACTICE—Some of last year's varsity players receive last minute instructions from Coach Earl Lorden before starting an inter-squad practice game. The Redmen will play Clark University this Saturday, the first of a six-game home schedule. L. to R. Leo Anderson, Don Quimby, outfield; "Mo" Moriarty, second base; Coach Lorden, Arnold Pinto, catcher, and Jim Turco, shortstop. —Photo by Tagine

Around the Bases

Tarheels Here May 3rd

If not the best college team in baseball, the 1950 Redmen will at least be the best dressed. New uniforms with regulation major league cut will have "MASSACHUSETTS" spread across the front. It's too bad the strike zone doesn't end with the belt, now that U-M has bright red ones. Then the umps couldn't help but call them right—or could they?

The girl's athletic field became Fenway Park for one day last week as the Redmen got their first breath of fresh air. Three balls went sailing over the left field fence. Little Ray Kenfeld turned out unbeaten teams in nine of them. Last year, the Tarheels went through 21 games without a loss before bowing to the College of William and Mary in their final match. This year, in the ten matches played so far, the Tarheels have had only one point scored against them while they whitewashed such teams as Ohio State, Michigan State, Harvard, and Williams. The only point scored against them occurred in a match with Harvard when the Carolina team had one man forfeit his point when he pulled a tendon.

Charles "The Speedster" Taucher may not get many base hits this season, but he already has established himself as the number one marksman with the bat. Chuckie lined a foul down the first base line and the whole bench assumed the horizontal. What a sight! Five behemoths lying on their upper extremities, feet dangling in the air. No, we won't embarrass them—no names.

Carolina's great team is sparked by such players as Clark Taylor (last year's Doubles champion in the Southern Conference), Bob Luxemburg (1947 runner-up in the National Intercollegiate Doubles championship), and Charlie Rice (number two man with three years experience).

Sports Calendar

Apr. 15	Baseball, Clark	H 2:30
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Apr. 19	Baseball, Conn.	A 3:30
Apr. 21	Track, Conn.	A 3:30
Apr. 21	Fr. Track, Conn.	A 3:30
Apr. 22	Baseball, Williams	H 2:30
Apr. 24	Golf, A.I.C.	H 2:30

Rod and Gun Club

The University tennis team has a number of men returning from last year that show promise of giving the Tarheels a good battle. The most promising candidates for this year are John Cleverly (newly elected captain and No. 1 man), and Tom McManus (No. 2 man). These two men are capable of beating some of the best players in the East, when they hit their top form. Backing up these veterans will be Gene Taylor, Bruce Wagon, John Oliver, John Hart, and John Thomas. In addition, the squad should be greatly bolstered by two Devens transfers, Marty Selig and Cy Stone. Once the team is able to get out on the courts and get in top shape, they should be able to hold their own against any team in the East. Coach Kosakowski justly feels that the tennis team is in for one of their best years in history.

Cod Swimming

Cod swimming will be held on both Tuesday and Friday nights from now on, due to the number of students participating. The pool will be open for cod swimming an hour on these nights, from 7 to 8 p.m.

Rifle Team First In N.E.N.R.C., Third In Sectional Meet

The Redmen Rifles came in to the third spot in the sectional tournament of the National Collegiate Match held at M.I.T. April first. Three national records fell in this shoot, which provided an overall picture of the best shooting seen in the history of New England entries.

The previous national team record was bettered by two points with M.I.T.'s 1408 total. The joy of the Techmen came to a swift halt, however, when the Coast Guard Academy came through with a phenomenal 1410, to boost the national record by an additional two points. The two schools each had a side team entered, and the Sailors made it a service day with a one point victory, 1386-1385.

But the finest shooting of the day, in fact the finest shooting in the history of collegiate marksmanship, was done in the individual matches by Voekeler, of M.I.T. With two shots to go to complete his string, he was told by his coach that two good shots would net him the national record. Voekeler made both into tens. His score: 100 prone; 98 kneeling, 95 off-hand, 293-300 total. Five points were added to the previous record.

Behind the leaders in third spot, came U Mass with 1324, and trailing the Redmen were: New Hampshire, 1307 (avenging a six point loss during the regular season), W.P.I. 1304, Lowell Textile 1299, and Harvard in last spot.

The Plattmen shooting for team total were: Eddie Williams, 271; Bill Stanley, 270; Stan Barron, 278; Bill Savard, 264; and Wally Malouf, 261. The individuals shooting for UMass, as complete as available: Bill Stanley, 276; Bill Savard, 257; Eddie Williams, 254.

The call for the 50-51 team will be issued very shortly after school opens in September. Every shooter, whether self-fancied or qualified, is urged to come out for the team. All spots will be open except manager and coach, and a systematized shot-off will be employed to determine the cut-list.

The record of the Redmen has been a good one for an initial season, the members being mostly students who will return in the fall at which time they hope to be operating as a formal varsity sport.

Charles "The Speedster" Taucher has not yet gotten many base hits this season, but he already has established himself as the number one marksman with the bat. Chuckie lined a foul down the first base line and the whole bench assumed the horizontal. What a sight!

Five behemoths lying on their upper extremities, feet dangling in the air. No, we won't embarrass them—no names.

Carolina's great team is sparked by such players as Clark Taylor (last year's Doubles champion in the Southern Conference), Bob Luxemburg (1947 runner-up in the National Intercollegiate Doubles championship), and Charlie Rice (number two man with three years experience).

The University tennis team has a number of men returning from last year that show promise of giving the Tarheels a good battle. The most promising candidates for this year are John Cleverly (newly elected captain and No. 1 man), and Tom McManus (No. 2 man). These two men are capable of beating some of the best players in the East, when they hit their top form. Backing up these veterans will be Gene Taylor, Bruce Wagon, John Oliver, John Hart, and John Thomas. In addition, the squad should be greatly bolstered by two Devens transfers, Marty Selig and Cy Stone. Once the team is able to get out on the courts and get in top shape, they should be able to hold their own against any team in the East. Coach Kosakowski justly feels that the tennis team is in for one of their best years in history.

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That's about the setup. Let the breezes cease their blowing and Ole Man Winter finish going. Alumni Field will echo "Play Ball," and base hits, (we hope) for our side.

Tennis Notice
Freshman Tennis Candidates report to Room 7 Phys. Ed. Bldg. on Monday, April 17, between 4:30 and 5:30 p.m.

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Hierarchy in Chem Dept. Disclosed By Frustrated Freshman Scientist

by Roger Mallory

Every autumn, several hundred naive neophytes descend upon our halls of ivy, ready to sop up all available knowledge. These we call freshmen. Of the numerous tests of ability and endurance to which these eager adventurers are put, there is one to which nothing but satanic principles can be attributed—chemistry!

Just above them in rank is the chemistry professor, who is the smooth-running organization with a highly-developed hierarchy. In the laboratory are the lab assistants who are primarily highly-trained spies, their sole purpose being to obtain converts and to detect insubordination.

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Judiciary Elections Postponed New Petition Deadline: April 19

by Gin Leccese

Having just returned from the sorority Dee, I am in no mood to write any Senate report. However, the show must go on and all that rot, so I'll do my best to control my emotions, and report the facts of Tuesday's meeting calmly and sensibly.

Top on the agenda was the postponement of the Judiciary Board elections. As of now, petitions must be filed by Wednesday, April 19, and the election will be held the following Monday, April 24. The petitions must hold the name, class, and the office run for. The petition must be signed with at least twenty-five names of the applicants, sex, whatever it may be, none of which can be duplicated on more than one petition without that of the signer not the applicant being disqualified. From the elections five men and five women will be elected. The post entails, for the information of any who wish to run, the same duties as, say, the Supreme Court, with, of course, quite a bit less authority, natch. Furthermore it is to be understood that boys can only vote for boys and vice versa. In conjunction with this it is to be understood to all applicants that the boys are not allowed to sit in on any Women's Judiciary cases, spicy or otherwise. Don't forget, petitions, by next Wednesday.

Bruce Wogan, athletic chairman, stated that in talking with Athletic Director McGuirk about the Yankee Conference participation of which I spoke last issue (if you can't remember dig the last issue out of any outside where I hear they are replacing Sears' and Roebuck's to a remarkable degree) he was told that schedules are made so far in advance that we can't play U.N.H. or U.Conn. till 1952, Thatcher.

Babcock Award To Be Presented To Doctor Feller

Dr. Carl G. Hartman, Director of the Physiological Laboratory of the Ortho Research Foundation, will speak on "Research Can Be Fun" at the Connecticut Valley Student Scientific Conference to be held at this campus on April 13.

Dr. Hartman has distinguished himself in the field of scientific research. He is well known for his work on

Phi Sig ...

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beek—Director of Short Courses.

With 76 active members in the local chapter and 10 pledges, the Phi Sigs have an organization which has steadily maintained a high position in all campus events. Officers of Alpha Chapter at present are: Pres., Phil Hammond; V. Pres., Malcolm Payne; Sec., Kenneth Cutting; Treas., Albert Hodge; Sentinel, Alan Monroe; and Pledge Instructor, William Estes.

The 26 members living in the house have a good set up. They have divided the rooms into suites, three rooms to a suite with two members living in the rooms. Each man has a combination bedroom and study and both have the use of the small living room in between the bedrooms. The other rooms include a spacious living room and library on the first floor, and the kitchen, dining room and recreation room in the basement. The booths and tables in the recreation room were formerly in Grandonico's Restaurant and their battle scarred surfaces help to create the right kind of atmosphere for social entertainment.

Adopt Orphan

Notable among the numerous good works of Alpha Chapter was the adoption of a European War Orphan in the fall of 1949. The orphan, Rudolph Heisterman is a ten-year-old fatherless Dutch boy. Phi Sig has taken over complete responsibility for the boy's welfare, providing clothing, medical care and other necessities.

Phi Sigma Kappa is not ready yet to rest upon past performances and has plans for the future to ensure their fraternity of many successful years ahead. They are hoping to build a new larger home in the near future, and in the meantime are planning to remodel their present house. Part of their remodeling includes a new dance pavilion where the rear porch is now, with a barbecue and picnic area in the rear of the property.

The Phi Sigs need have no fear of the future for their past history and present activities foretell of even greater things to come.

Scholarships ...

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count the fact that this year's freshman class has an enrollment of 620, that 800 are expected to enter next year and there has been a consequent increase in scholarship applications.

To picture the need for additional scholarships, the report reviewed the situation of this year's freshman class. There were 94 applicants for scholarship aid. Twenty-nine scholarships were awarded.

Sixty-five others did not receive scholarships, since there was no money available for them. Twenty-one of these sixty-five did not enter, though it is not known how many of this number failed to do so because of financial difficulties.

In addition to the scholarship recommendations, the commission's report also included proposals on six other subjects concerning the university.

An aid to preparing the report several members of the special commission visited the university last November.

WMUA Program ...

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vocalists, instrumentalists, and specialty acts, will be included in the show.

The three male contestants are picked from the studio audience by drawing ticket stubs from a hat. The "Mystery Woman" is selected by a WMUA board on the basis of beauty, personality, and general campus popularity.

At present, "On the Town" is a while program.

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Scholarship Fund ...

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be administered by the Trustees. All receipts would be turned over to the Treasurer. An attempt is being made now to interest all dormitories in contributing at least a percentage of the income from the machines to the scholarship fund. At present, the frats are donating all the proceeds from their coke and cigarette machines to the fund.

In addition, Theta Chi has voted \$100 as a straight scholarship to the fund. The Commuters have also voted \$100 from the proceeds of their machines in Mem Hall to the fund. The girls in Thatcher Hall have contributed over \$30 and a Mardi Gras under the leadership of Ed Camara and Hal Fenneman is to be run on May 13 for the benefit of the fund.

All these scholarship funds are completely in line with the minimum benefits allowed by the NCAA Sanity Code.

The students who started this movement originally were Bob Bolcock, Bob Blum, and Hal Fenneman (chairman of the group that started the movement). In addition, some invaluable aid has been provided by the girls on campus who have supported the drive all along. The persons who deserve the most credit for the success of the drive and the growing alumni faculty, and student interest in the fund are Mr. McGuirk and Mr. Allen. Without their cooperation and aid, the entire plan would have been impossible. These two men deserve a vote of thanks from the entire student body for their fine work. Let's continue to support them and help put our scholarship fund drive way over the top.

Recess Commission ...

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5) Establishing a branch of the University at Boston.

6) Establishment of professional schools of medicine, dentistry and nursing.

Free tuition.

The report states that "in the course of its visit to the University campus . . . the Commission was appalled at the inadequate dining hall accommodations for the student body . . . Draper Hall cafeteria, with a seating capacity of 550, is expected to serve 300 women and 600 men students, as well as frequent public conferences which meet on the campus." The Commission noted similar conditions in the other campus dining halls.

Commenting on the planned modern dining hall in the women's dormitory area, the report continues "under the direction of a trained dietitian-manager this dining unit would not only serve men and women students, but could also be used as a laboratory for advanced students in institutional and hotel management." With this in mind the Commission recommended "that the Legislature give a high priority, in any contemplated construction at the University, to the erection of a much needed dining hall."

The Commission advocated the establishment of deanships in the local WMUA feature heard only on this campus, but arrangements are being made to hook in with the three-college Pioneer Broadcasting System by Dave Melzer who is producer-director of the show.

With the exception of one or two minor technical shortcomings, "On the Town's" initial performance was a success. Plaudits to technicians Paul Pincus, Gene Ryan, Eric Stroberg, Dave Baker, and Irv Wasserman, and to script writers Dick Green and Dave Melzer, for hard work in creating a worthwhile program.

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schools of Business Administration and Engineering and the proposed college of Arts and Sciences in order to raise the standards of the schools and to provide for full-time administrative work "that now cannot be done."

A flexible system of scholarship aid for 100 students at the University was the proposal of the Commission in answer to the free tuition question. In discussing the problem, the group recognized the enlarged expense to citizens of the state due

to the free tuition program to be adopted. They also opposed the suggested hike in tuition.

The Commission also recommended that "the fields of professional education, medicine, dentistry, nursing and public health be given serious consideration by the trustees."

Interfrat Sing ...

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was particularly outstanding by the fact that 70 voices were so ably

expended to citizens of the state due

to the free tuition program to be adopted. They also opposed the suggested hike in tuition.

The other fraternities competing in the sing were: SAE, QTV, RS, AEPI, LCA, TEP, and PSK.

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DETERIUM TREMENS—Above is Sigma Phi Epsilon's first winning fraternity skit "Determinum Tremens." Tap dancer Everett Smith is shown cowering before two aggressive pink elephants, products of his alcoholic mind. Sig Ep scored a clean sweep of the events in Greek competition for its "Jungle Party."

Photo by Kosarick

Sig Ep, AEPI, PSK Tops In Frat Skit Contest

The judges of the interfraternity skits last week must have had a hard time coming up with the winners, Sig Ep, AEPI and Phi Sig. The skits which were presented to an overflow crowd in Bowker Auditorium were either very good or very mediocre.

Sig Ep's blue ribbon deal featured costumes that glow in the dark, an almost complete absence of dialogue, and an airborne bat which slid to the stage on a wire strung from the balcony. The fluorescent costumes were by far the most effective thing that night. They probably cinched the lead spot for the red hot Sig Ep.

AEPI's Pyrite was what we might term a lavish spectacle. The costumes and lighting put over the skit which was otherwise not remarkable. The Carmen Miranda twist was clever.

For this writer's money, Phi Sig was definitely top three material. The idea, execution and lighting of their skit, "An Old Fashioned Movie" was a credit to the fraternity's effort. One or two slight mishaps while the film was "being rewound" although understandable, detracted from this skit which was among the most original offer in this writer's four years at U.M.

For the rest, the skits descended to old army phrases or reworkings of songs for their chuckles.

Theta Chi did a creditable job with "The Fantastic Trial of Joe Zilch." This offering was a trifle on the slow moving side; however, some clever dialogue suggestive but possibly subtle added considerably to the skit.

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Newmans Plan Retreat, Breakfast

The first student retreat in the history of the University of Massachusetts Newman Club will open with Mass on Thursday morning, April 13. It was announced this week by Father David Power, adviser to the group.

The three-day retreat will consist of morning Mass and several talks by Rev. Bertram Weaver of the Pastoral Fathers. Father Weaver previously addressed the Newman Club at a regular meeting.

The schedule for the retreat is as follows:

Wednesday, April 27
6:30 am—Mass at St. Brigid's followed by a short talk by Father Weaver.

7 pm—Talk by Father Weaver at

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CAMPUS DRIVERS
No parking permitted outside of the Drill Hall at any time. All cars found there will be tagged. Parking lots opposite the Phys. Ed. Building and the lot behind L. A. may be used at night.

UNIVERSITY TRUSTEES—Governor Dever poses with Alden Burt of Belmont (left), and Ernest Hofzeyer of Wellesley (right), University Trustees recently reappointed for a period of seven years.

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UM Goes Navy With "Hit The Deck" On Stage At Bowker This Weekend

Tonight, Friday night, and Saturday evening, Bowker auditorium will be the scene of the comedy play "Hit the Deck," produced by Doric Alviani. The hilarious show which involves the Navy in those wild early days of the war, is staged with Jim McCarthy and Mary Wells in the lead roles.

"Hit the Deck" is not only filled with good music and excellent dancing, but based upon a plot which in itself is fascinating and interesting. The story deals with a Miss Louisa Martin, who searches the U. S. Navy for her lover Bilge Smith. Louisa in her travels meets Mat (Bob Huckins), Bunny (Wally Kallaugher), and Bathing Smith (Hal Fenneman).

The cast is also composed of Barbara Lawrence, Lorna Wilson, Jim Parker, Dianne Speed, Kenneth Cutting, Donald Grainger, Paul Doherty, Jim Chapman, Dick Desjardins, Melvin Tucker, Carroll White and George Babitt. The University chorale is accompanying the Guild in the production.

Intermission will find dance interpretations by Bob Bolan and Mary Lowry and music by Jocelyn Dugas, Ezra Schubas and Al Hixon.

Tickets are now on sale at the University store but will also be on sale at the door both Friday and Saturday.

Campus Mourns As C-Store Head Dies

The University of Massachusetts lost a valued member of its family April 12th, with the death of Donald P. Hawley, manager of the U-Store on campus.

Mr. Hawley had served for 17 years as the manager of the University Store during which period its business increased 850 per cent.

Speaking of Mr. Hawley, President Van Meter commented: "He was a conscientious, efficient administrator, a friend of students and staff. He will be very greatly missed."

During Mr. Hawley's period of management at the C-Store, many students found jobs there which enabled them to complete their education.

His purpose and goal while manager was always to serve the students, supplying them with books and other supplies at low cost. He realized

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Mahar, Getting, Mariner, Gamble To Speak at Govt. Conclave Here

Problems related to intercampus cooperation will be the subject of the 10th Annual Government Conference tomorrow under the chairmanship of Dr. Philip L. Gamble.

The speakers will be Edward Branigan, Chairman of the Nashoba Union Board of Health, Haven Emerson, and Elwin E. Mariner, director of the search for the Massachusetts Federation of Taxpayers Associations will be chairman of the opening round table in Skinner Auditorium at 11:00.

This session will be devoted to a general discussion of intercampus cooperation and the speakers will be Walter W. Lee, State District Health Officer will be chairman of the discussion on the Health Union to be held in Skinner Auditorium.

The speakers will be Edward Branigan, Chairman of the Nashoba Union Board of Health, Haven Emerson, and Elwin E. Mariner, principal of the Housatonic Valley Regional High School at Falls Village, Conn.

Charles E. Streeter, a selectman and member of the Board of Public Health, will feature problems related to

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Trustees Serious On Tuition Hike

James W. Burke, Secretary of the University, this week released a summary of the arguments for and against the proposed doubling of tuition.

The proposal to raise the present \$100 tuition to \$200 is now being considered by a five-man sub committee of the Board of Trustees, he said.

The dozen arguments presented here are the main points to be discussed, Mr. Burke stated. He added that he did not know when the board will make its final decision.

For Increased Tuition

"1. There is a serious competitive demand on the resources of government.

"2. With the replacement of veterans by non-veteran students, tuition income to the Commonwealth will decline. Veterans pay \$400 per year, non-veterans \$100.

"3. As the veterans are graduated,

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RE: TUITION HIKE

In the light of the recent report of the Recess Commission on Education, in which the members of the commission took a stand in direct opposition to the proposed tuition hike, the announcement this week that the hike was being seriously considered by the Board of Trustees impressed us as being ill-advised and unnecessary.

The legislative backing which initiated the proposal appears to be sloughing off or gradually dying out. Recently, 100 legislators voluntarily signed a petition opposing a raised tuition at the University. The Recess Commission has shown itself in opposition. The newspapers of the state are largely not in favor of the increase, and have expressed their views quite frankly and honestly.

These men—the 100 legislators, the commission members, the newspaper editors of the state—are sincerely interested in maintaining the University as a seat of low-cost education for the children of middle class families. Some of them are advocates of free tuition at the University. The Commission, as a compromise action, has even worked out a scholarship plan which would make the tuition increase unnecessary.

However, although these men of influence are opposed to the hike, the Board of Trustees, supposedly with an interest in the University and the men and women who attend it, has announced that it will seriously consider raising the tuition.

Elsewhere in this issue is printed a list of arguments, pro and con, on the question of tuition increase. The arguments have been prepared by Secretary of the University Burke as a statement of what the Board of Trustees will use in its debates on the subject.

The unfortunate part of the report, however, is the fact that Mr. Burke has evolved concrete argument on the favorable side of the increase, and for opposition has assembled, for the most part, vague and unsupportable statements. This makes the question appear one-sided and without clarity. A normal taxpayer, reading the report, would feel that the pro statements are closer to the truth because they are stated as facts.

We suggest that Secretary Burke recall his report and strive to include factual material on both sides of the argument. We also suggest that the Board of Trustees, instead of debating a problem which is obviously without backing, give serious consideration to the establishment of free tuition for Massachusetts students at the University.

COMMENDATION AND REGRET

Collegian congratulations to Sigma Phi Epsilon on their unprecedented sweep of events during last week's Intrafraternity activities. With 63 points garnered through first places in the sing, skits, and Saturday night dances, Sig Ep has taken over the top spot in this year's interfraternity competition. But far more important than the actual points is the spirit and industry displayed by a group which two years ago was practically nonexistent. The showing of Sig Ep, as well as that of the other campus fraternities, should go far to dispel the bad light cast on the Greek organizations during their recent hazing activities. To those who advocated the abolition of fraternities when they were suffering public disfavor, we offer Intergreek Week as an example of the constructive side of fraternity life in proof of the ability of a fraternal organization to maintain itself on mature and sensible level. To the members of those fraternities, one in particular, which managed to discredit themselves despite an extraordinarily sane and successfully Greek Week, we offer only regret that they have not yet grown up to the realization that crudity does not constitute good taste, nor even good humor, and that one does not have to live up to one's own bad publicity to be popular.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

TO MR. HILYARD

"Man's best friend is his dog," how often have we heard that statement. In the light of Bruce Bowen's column on euthanasia and Mr. Hilyard's reply I feel that the converse of the statement is very true. What dog lover would allow an old friend to drag himself around on paralyzed hind-quarters with sight rapidly departing? The dog lover, granting him humanitas instincts, is quick to answer the "prayer of those burning eyes." Yet the same man cannot bring like relief to those of his own flesh and blood because of the mores of his society. Mores founded on the words of Genesis—cursed is the ground for thy sake; in sorrow shalt thou eat of it all the days of thy life.

How much thought for the sorrow and suffering of others has the man who preaches the inviolability and sanctity of his own hide? I hope that Mr. Hilyard excuses great care to assure that his particular piece of "Dresden" arrives at the final gate unchipped.

E. B. W. Hassett

COMMUNITY GROUPS

Dear Editor,

Published in our comfortable recreation room amidst an atmosphere of homelike conviviality, we have read the articles on Greek organizations and "Ha Ha Head."

Imbued with a sense of "We-ness" and community concern for our fellow man and our campus as an entity, we cannot overlook such bold jargon. Below we present evidence for our successful democratic society, even though it is not carefully selected if selected at all.

1. We have a voluntary group of approximately 50 students who are on hand at all times to aid the automobile owners in starting their vehicles and aiding them out of difficult situations. In fact these men have submitted their class schedules to the chairman.

2. In the very same recreation room mentioned in the preamble above, we have community cigarettes so everyone can relax with nicotine habits.

3. No one is ever in financial difficulties because of the sharing of all commodities and cash. This does not presuppose a welfare state or a disregard for personal property rights due to the advanced nature attitude of all concerned.

4. We have a board of top students in all fields who are available at all times for consultation and tutoring for those students who feel they are in need of such.

These are just a few examples of the utopian atmosphere enveloping dormitory life. WE HAVE A SENSE OF BELONGING. In fact this letter is an example of all we have heretofore professed since contributions were made by numerous members of Brooks House.

Yours without segregation,
W. John Montgomery
P. Taylor Doherty, II
L. Lambert Stead, III
R. Esmond Daniels, Esq.
W. Bigelow Powell
C. Wilfred Nyberg, II
H. Earle Comins, Janitor
J. Cullen Steed

INDEX PICTURES

To the Editor of the Collegian:

How does one go about getting one's picture in the INDEX, when one is graduating? In all anticipation, a friend's husband has had his picture taken plus depositing \$2.50 and filled out all necessary forms. Yet, he found out quite accidentally that his picture is not to appear in the INDEX.

Naturally, it was quite a shock; so, he approached the Dean of Men to see what could be done and, lo and behold! Nothing!

Therefore, we are appealing to you for help. We are all quite disturbed, particularly as this may happen to others.

Sincerely,
Student Wives
Elaine Grenier
Margaret Kimmy
Mary Labbe
Mary Williams
Audrey Marvel
Mary Malone
Margaret O'Neill

FACULTY RATING

To the Editor of the Collegian:

May the Senate have every success in its move to have a Student Faculty Rating system put into operation. There most certainly can be no question as to the desirability and need for such a system provided it is used for better quality of instruction given and for the furtherance of student-faculty relations.

Not long ago this writer sent a letter to the Collegian in which was outlined a possible method of carrying out a Faculty Rating system. I would like to take this opportunity to submit this plan, both to the Senate and to the members of the campus as a whole for their consideration.

1. The rating forms should at least include the following:

A. Instructor's preparation for class material.

B. Instructor's ability to present this material in such a manner that it can be readily understood.

C. Instructor's interest in teaching the subject.

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D. Instructor's willingness to answer questions in class.

E. Instructor's approachability outside of class.

F. Instructor's sense of humor.

G. Are instructor's exams representative of instruction given.

H. Section on personal peculiarities. (See rating blank used by School of Agriculture.)

I. These forms should be filled out by the students together with a carbon copy. The original is to be sent to the instructor, the carbon copy to a Special Reviewing Board composed of both members of the administration and of the student body.

II. A. The Reviewing Board should review all forms and investigate those cases in which an instructor is ranked low by two-thirds or more of his class for three semesters, and make recommendations to the administration for corrective measures or dismissal depending on the findings of the investigation.

B. Those instructors who are consistently ranked high, or who show steady improvement should be checked, and if the check verifies the rating, should be recommended for promotion.

I believe that if both students and members of the faculty were to enter honestly and sincerely into such a system as outlined above, not only would there be an improvement in instruction given, but that there would also be a marked improvement in student-faculty relations.

Oscar C. Doane, Jr., '50

OUTING CLUB

To the Editor:

Dear Outing Clubbers—

I would like to extend my regrets to all of you that met at Amherst Common on Monday the 17th of April at 1:45 p.m. for the bike trip, and found none. We had our trip on Sunday and a very enjoyable one. I didn't ask but since the Collegian scheduled the Monday trip, I presume Betty herself planned to lead it. More credit to her but please check with us on all future trips.

Franklyn Harris
Chairman Activities

*Ed. Note: Since my bicycle was at the cleaners and the government has outlawed flying saucers (see *Lil Abner*, April 17), I was unable to appear at the Common to lead the trip. However, I left signs so that the club members could go on without me. My personal opinion is that they all slept over.*

To the Editor:

No doubt, the most enthusiastic response gets at the Greek Week skits presented by the fraternities were cheap, vulgar sex jokes. Because of their quality and quality, the atmosphere became putrid! It reached the point where seduction in the acts was over-obvious, and MC's competed with each other to revoke the "dirtiest one".

It's a pathetic realization that most of the fraternities have to resort to such a low level in order to keep their audience lively.

For an unofficial poll, even the most "broad-minded" individuals voiced criticisms against the many "hot ones" which were overdone. We all enjoy a "good one" once in a while, but who wants lobster for breakfast, dinner, and supper?

Fortunately, the State Legislature wasn't present.

The tendency on campus appears to be the exposing of sex jokes to the public daily. Why? Does this, we subtract from it the intimate value.

Fraternities who staged clean, wholesome (where have I heard those two words before?) acts are to be commended.

Ed Pawlowski

NOTICE ON TRANSCRIPTS

The Registrar's Office prepares transcripts of undergraduate college records in the order in which such requests are received. Students are reminded that at this time of the year, requests for transcripts are so numerous that there may be a detail of one week to ten days in obtaining one. If you plan to request transcripts of your records, you should allow at least ten days for preparation.

Anyone on campus may submit a letter containing a nomination. In so doing, the writer is requested to state the reasons for the nomination. Only applications are that the candidate must be a senior, and must have been active during all four years of college.

In order that we may print as many letters as possible, we request that they be kept to a minimum length. In the case of letters which are too long, we reserve the right to edit.

All letters should be addressed to The Collegian, Memorial Hall, University of Massachusetts, Amherst.

The crack of the Bat—the seat in the bleachers—the broiling Sun—Peanuts—Tonic—Anything for comfort—Haspell Refreshable Clothes—Seer—THOMAS F. WALSH—Naturally

Ghosts and Bats in the Belfry From The Brickyard

Bruce T. Bowens

Approximately 375 couples attended the annual Inter Greek Ball held in the Smith Vocational School gymnasium last Friday night. Gene Williams and his orchestra and the Teddy Wilson trio furnished continuous music for dancing from 9 until 1.

The blue-covered ceiling of the gymnasium was decorated with starlike pendants which blinked on and off to give the effect of a starry sky. The theme of the ball was "Dancing in the Stars." Banners representing the various fraternities were displayed prominently around the walls.

The sweet dance music of Gene Williams and the bouncy rhythms of the Wilson trio were warmly received by the couples in attendance. Lovely Robin Scott, vocalizing with the Williams orchestra, was especially popular.

During intermission, several of the fraternities entertained with songs of their organizations.

The ball was the climax of a week-long program of fraternity and sorority activities in which Sigma Phi Epsilon captured top honors by sweeping the skit, sing, and dance events. Sig Ep is now in the lead for the Interfraternity Competition trophy.

Co-chairmen of the ball were Bill Less of Tau Epsilon Phi and Ed Devine of Theta Chi. Both pronounced the affair a definite success.

GREEK BALL—Camera-eye view of some of the 375 couples who filled the Smith School gymnasium last Friday night and danced to the music of Gene Williams and his orchestra and the Teddy Wilson trio. Gowns were sumptuous and off the shoulder, and the strictly formal black tuxedos were interspersed with spring white dinner coats.

All Roads Lead To The C-Store, Focal Point For Campus Drama

by Judy Broder

Past the glitter and swank of Amherst College, through fraternity row, across the college pond, and up to Mem Hall, Old Chapel, and South College, all roads lead to the heart of the campus, the C-store, crossroads of four thousand private (?) lives, gigantic stage on which are played a thousand dramas daily. All roads lead to the first floor rooms of North College—whether it be from the dorm with five minutes to get to class, or crossing from Formal to Lib Arts in ten minutes, there's always a minute to stop in for a cup of coffee or a coke at the favorite early morning (or late afternoon) spot on campus.

Now though I am an empiricist, I recognize that reliance upon the senses can be carried too far. They often play dirty tricks on us. In this day of perpetual inflation and the breast-fetish, I like to call those people who naively believe everything they see "trustees". In many things, it is best to reserve judgment until more evidence is in.

Even after these various reservations are made, some "truths" remain within our reach. I am reasonably certain that the sun will set tonight (Dr. Velikovsky's hypothesis notwithstanding); I am sure I shall die someday, that a heavier-than-air body, when released in mid-air, will fall to the ground, the two plus equal four. These are reasonable deductions from experience. They are verifiable. They work when used as bases for prediction. Even so, they are not absolute. Someday additional evidence may require me to relinquish some of them. Even Newton's Law of Gravitation, which once seemed to be perfect and absolute, has undergone modification. But meantime these empiric truths are all I have. They will be good enough for me.

And if that house-of-the-seven-fables there on the hill is empty, let it stay empty. I am not afraid of emptiness. I do not need to fill up emptiness with ghosts and hobgoblins just to satisfy myself that there is something there.

Next point in question—a thousand dramas daily? Any doubt as to the dramatic ability of the C-store should be dispelled by the productions of two theatricals this year, one faculty produced, the other student produced. First our professors and ad-

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SPORTS

Redmen Baseball Opener Snowed Out; Williams Here Saturday First Of Five Home Games, UConn Ball Game Yesterday

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"The trouble with being a professor these days is, one has to work for peanuts!"

Around the Bases

Yesterday's game against Connecticut was the only meeting between the Redmen and UConn this season. For the past three years the two schools have held home and home games with the U of C sweeping all six games. Nevertheless, since the start of the series in 1940, Massachusetts boasts 25 wins as compared with only 15 defeats.

Southpaw Marty Anderson, whose strong arm held up the Redmen pitching staff last season, is on the sidelines with an ailing wing due to keep him out of action for at least a week. Judging by performances to date, however, Coach Lorden shouldn't have too many worries if a sore arm develops now and then.

Anherst College's batting power was able to garner only two scratch hits off three UM hurlers last Monday. One was a slow roller down the third baseline on which the call at first was close. The other dribbled through the legs of pitcher Ed Frydryk.

For the first time since 1941 the Redmen will clash with Union College. The winner of the game, to be played at Schenectady, will take the lead in the series which finds each school boasting eight wins.

High School Relays Scheduled For May 6

The annual high school relays sponsored by the University will take place on May 6. Lack of interest had caused the cancellation of the meet this year, but at the insistence of Director of Athletics McGuirk the high schools throughout the state have been informed of the intention to hold the relays which are now officially scheduled.

The holding of the Massachusetts Relays necessitated the changing of the varsity baseball game with Northeastern from a home affair to a contest in Boston.

SPORTS NOTICE

All students interested in working on the Collegian Sports Department as reporters please come to the Collegian office Monday night at seven.

SPORTS CALENDAR

April 21 Track - Connecticut	A 3:30
April 22 Baseball - Williams	H 2:30
April 24 Golf - A.I.C.	H 2:30
April 24 Baseball - Union	A 3:30
April 26 Track - Williams	H 3:00
April 29 Baseball - N.H.	A 2:30
April 29 Baseball F Amherst	H 2:30
April 29 Track - Trinity	A 2:00
April 29 Tennis - Connecticut	A 1:30

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Old Man Winter gave out with a dying gasp cancelling the UM baseball opener with Clark last Saturday. Schedule commitments of both schools prohibited the re-scheduling of the game which cuts down the baseball season to fourteen contests of which only five will be home affairs.

Williams College will be here Saturday in an effort to avenge a 3-1 setback suffered at the hands of the Lordenmen last season. Before that, however, the Maroon and White will have met the University of Connecticut. The game was scheduled for yesterday.

The only opposition the Lordenmen have faced so far has been Amherst College. Two exhibition contests, neither of which went the full nine innings, found the Redmen on top by 4-3 and 3-0 scores.

Saturday's games with Williams will be an excellent home opener for the Redmen who through the years have not fared too well against the Ephem. Last year's triumph was only the sixth UM victory in a series which has seen thirty-three games. After the Williams affair, the Maroon and White will not play at home until May 10 when Worcester Tech puts in an appearance.

Athletic Scholarship Fund Drive To Try For Dormitory Support

In last week's issue of the Collegian your correspondent gave a report of the foundation, growth, and functioning of the University Scholarship Fund on this campus. As we pointed out, the main objective of the fund is to improve our athletic prowess and give the University championship teams.

The athletic department has released the freshman football schedule for the coming grid season and the days when such a release was boring news are now gone. The frosh no longer play such schools as Leicester Junior College but now pay the way for our Varsity teams to meet the stronger athletic schools in New England. The schedule reads:

Oct. 13 Wesleyan (home)	Night
Oct. 20 Conn. (home)	Night
Oct. 28 Worcester Acad. (away)	
Nov. 3 Boston College (away)	
Nov. 11 Springfield (home)	
Nov. 17 Trinity (home)	

One piece of bad luck occurred during last week's practice when Q Stone came up with a bad shoulder during practice.

Of the men participating in the playoffs, three men loom as varsity material. Bob Allen, the second of the promising sophomores, was one of the better players in Greenfield before coming to the U of M. Bronislav Wisniewski shows a great deal of promise from his showing against members of the varsity. Last of the potential threats is Jerry Wynn. Jerry won the summer school singles title during the tourney held here last summer. Previously, he was No. 1 man for Coaching Academy.

In an endeavor to build up reserves for next year's varsity team, candidates for the freshman tennis team were called out on Monday. Approximately seven men reported, and from their experience, should help the team immeasurably next year. A match with the freshmen has been scheduled with the Junior Varsity and attempts are being made to line up several more teams for the yearlings to meet.

This tour will continue throughout the week and will visit all of the other dormitories for the purpose of interesting them in contributing at least part of the proceeds from their vending machines to the fund. It is hoped by Mr. McGuirk and Mr. Allen that the dormitories will back the drive 100% by the conclusion of the tour.

Outing Club

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Looking Things Over

by Joe Broude

Due to the efforts of Director of Athletics Warren McGuirk, and head of the University Club Don Allen, the academic athletic scholarship fund is slowly growing larger. The two men have launched a campaign to get all dorms, fraternities, and sororities to contribute wholly or partially the receipts of their vending machines to the scholarship fund.

It has been noted that the University of Connecticut, through outlets much smaller than we possess, is able to raise \$4,000 yearly for athletic scholarships through vending machines on campus. It would be of great value for us to follow suit and do likewise.

Any groups interested in having vending machines installed in their building for the purpose of contributing at least part of the proceeds to the Scholarship Fund should contact either Director of Athletics Warren McGuirk or Don Allen.

Both men deserve the utmost support we can give them for their aim is to improve our athletic prowess and give the University championship teams.

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Pi Beta Phi Largest Campus Sorority

by Barb Flaherty

This is the sixth in a series of articles on the histories of the fraternities and sororities.

Since 1941, three editors of the Index and two editors of the Collegian have been members of Pi Phi.

As far as scholastic standing goes, Pi Phi, last semester, energetically worked up from fifth place to second among the sororities, W.S.G.A. scholarships have gone to two Pi Phi's, Phi Kappa Phi honors to five members, beauty contests, Pi Phi is well represented with winners all the way from Sadie Hawkins Day to the U. of M. balls. Two queens and sixteen princesses have come from their sorority.

The Pi Beta Phi that we know at North Pleasant Street dates back to March 4, 1944—the day that Alpha Lambda Mu, the local sorority, became national. The national fraternity of Pi Beta Phi was the pioneer of women's sororities, founded 1869 at Mount Holyoke College in Massachusetts. The local chapter was founded 1931 and remained as such until 1944, when the Deveaux men were transferred to Alpha Lambda Mu in 1945.

Hospitality at Pi Phi is never lacking. As a matter of fact, friendliness is one of their foremost attributes.

After the fire at their house, Chi Omega girls found themselves welcome to have their meals at Pi Phi. In '47, when the Deveaux men were transferred to this campus, Pi Phi held an open house dance to welcome them. Back during the war years, the girls entertained soldiers training at Amherst College.

Two vivid memories come to the minds of the members whenever they are asked about unusual occurrences.

One of that of the young man who was sent upstairs while waiting for his date, to repair a shower that was out of order. Soon afterward, he came back downstairs with a slightly wet suit. One of the girls had unwittingly turned on the water system, previously disconnected. Another is that of "Piddles," the Pi Phi pup. Though adopted at the age of two and a half weeks, "Piddles" reached immense proportions within two months. Said the girls, "We really wanted to keep him, but he just became too much for

Senate Moves To Aid Hour Exam Situation

In '49, Pi Phi had the largest sorority on campus. This year the sorority has 53 members. Some of them may have been attracted by the arrangement for washing dishes; an automatic dishwasher, just three sophomore fellows hired last semester.

Some innovations started by Pi Phi have been so successful as to remain year after year. In September of '47, a coffee hour on Saturday afternoons after football games was started, and is still continued. One innovation, a ten for all senior girls on campus, has been adopted by the other sororities.

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Weekly Calendar

Thursday, April 20
PERFORMANCE. "Hit the Deck". Bowker Auditorium, 8:15.
MEETING. Forestry Club. French Hall, Room 209, 7:00.
MEETING. Intervarsity Bible Club. Chapel, Room A, 7:15.
MEETING. Home Economics Club. Skinner Hall, Room 217, 3:00.
MEETING. International Relations Club. Chapel, Room C, 7:00.
MEETING. Pre-Med Club. Fernald Hall, Room K, 7:00.
MEETING. Electrical Engineering Club. Guinness Laboratory, 7:30.
MEETING. Hellenic Club. Chapel, Room B, 7:30.
MEETING. Pre-Vet Club. Paige Lab., 7:15.

Friday, April 21
PERFORMANCE. "Hit the Deck". Bowker Auditorium, 8:15.
Saturday, April 22
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Sunday, April 23
PERFORMANCE. Band Concert. Bowker Auditorium, 8:30.

Monday, April 24
MEETING. Fencing Club. Gym Fencing Room, 7:00.

Tuesday, April 25
MEETING. Index Staff. Chapel, Room C, 6:45.
MEETING. Chowder & Marching Society. Stockbridge Hall, Room 114, 7:00.

MEETING. Senate. Skinner Auditorium, 7:00.

Wednesday, April 26
MEETING. Women's Student Judiciary Board. Chapel, Seminar, 7:00.
REHEARSAL. Music. Bowker Auditorium, 7:30.

MEETING. National Student Association. Memorial Hall, Room 1, 7:00.
MEETING. Political Union. Chapel, Room C, 7:30.

MEETING. Nalada. Phys. Ed. Pool, 7:45.

MEETING. French Club. Skinner Auditorium, 6:30.
MEETING. Mechanical Engineering Club. Guinness Laboratory, 7:00.

MEETING. American Radio Club. Stockbridge, Room 102, 7:30.

MEETING. Business Administration Club. Skinner Hall, Room 4, 7:15.

Thursday, April 27
REHEARSAL. Roister Doisters. Bowker Auditorium, 7:30.

MEETING. Lutheran Club. Chapel Auditorium, 7:15.

MEETING. Newman Club. Chapel Auditorium, 7:15.

MEETING. International Relations Club. Chapel, Room C, 7:00.

MEETING. Intervarsity Bible Club. Chapel, Room A, 7:15.

'Angel Street' On Road; Will Be Here May 15th

The first campus performance of Patrick Hamilton's "Angel Street," a presentation of the University Players, will be given on May 5 during the Mother's Day Weekend Festival. It was announced this week by Prof. Arthur Niedeck, advisor to the group. The play will be produced at Bowker Auditorium.

Doris Carbone and Dan Daly will enact the roles of Bella Manningham and her diabolical husband who is bent on driving his wife insane. Both are veterans of previous Roister Doister productions.

Bert Narbis, the memorable Uncle Chris in last spring's presentation of "I Remember Mama," has the role of the detective who befriends Mrs. Manningham. This role was made famous by Leo G. Carroll on Broadway, and by Joseph Cotten in "Gaslight," the movie version of the play.

Phyllis Cole and Alice O'Donnell, both Roister Doister veterans, are cast as Elizabeth the housekeeper and Nancy the servant maid.

Bus Ad Club

The Business Administration Club announces the election of the following officers: President, Ty King; Vice President, Frank Weisse; Treasurer, Marty Sling; Secretary, Edna Price; Publicity Chairman, Jake Early; Social Chairman, Don Salander; Program Chairman, Ted Weiner; and Faculty Advisor, Mr. Hummel.

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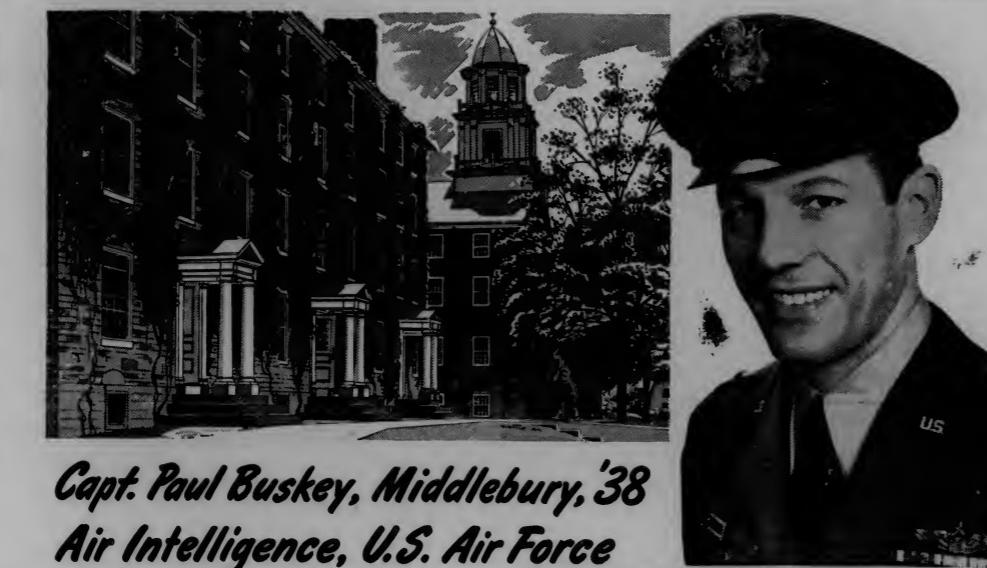
by Judy Davenport

How very often it is that we see the spirit of Metawampi exemplified over the length of this campus by snow sculptures, graduation ceremonies, and rally leaders. Yet, many of us don't really know who this Indian really was. We slurr rapidly over the syllables and vaguely reply that "he is the campus Indian."

A faculty outing club on this campus which was organized as a spirit than is realized. Little is known of him except that in 1674 he and other Indians of his tribe sold to the white men of that area a tract of land lying to the north of Mt. Toby. Metawampi was also called Nat-tawassawat, and he had a son named Nosatauk.

The spirit of this Indian has long been felt in this area. At one time Amherst College changed the name of Mt. Toby to that of Metawampi. However, the change didn't last and Mt. Toby is still Mt. Toby.

Prof. Frank Prentiss Rand of the English department included a poem called Metawampi in his book of verse



**Capt. Paul Buskey, Middlebury, '38
Air Intelligence, U.S. Air Force**



An excellent student at Middlebury College, Vermont, Paul found time to win the coveted All Sports Trophy in his senior year. He graduated in June, 1938.



He then joined a coated paper mill firm as research and control manager. Harbor changed all that—Paul went to Maxwell Field to begin Aviation Cadet training.



An outstanding Cadet, 2nd Lt. Paul Buskey was held over as an instructor after graduation. Then he was assigned as a pilot in the Air Transport Command.



His big plane education was topped with 23 missions over the far-famed "Hump," flying C-54 transports. After V-J Day, he stayed on in the Far East until March of 1948—specializing in Air Intelligence.



Back home, after accepting a Regular Air Force Commission, Captain Buskey went to Air Tactical school, was there rated an outstanding student, and won assignment to Command and Staff school.



Today, Captain Buskey is an Air Intelligence Officer on MATS Headquarters Staff at Andrews Air Force Base near Washington, D. C. He looks forward to a rewarding future in the U. S. Air Force.



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STOCKBRIDGE NOTES

The Stockbridge School judging teams won first places, a second, a third, and a fourth at the first New England Agriculture School Contest at Storrs, Conn., April 15. The Stockbridge teams placed first in dairy cattle and poultry marketing, second in dairy products, third in general livestock, and fourth in poultry breeding and production.

Members of the dairy cattle team were Philip Nash, Norman Langvin, and Robert Loomis. Ernest Viera was the alternate. Mr. R. G. Swanson was the coach.

Campus Mourns ...

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his aims to a large degree.

Mr. Hawley is survived by his wife, Mrs. Edna B. Hawley; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawley, of Amherst; and a brother, Oliver, of Athol.

been searching for with such suggested names as Mohawks, Tomahawks, chief of the campus, a drive was led by George Burgess and the name was finally adopted.

Rescia's Opera ...

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she sits in her dressing room waiting for her cue. Kitty is approached by a young girl from her own home. The maid, ignorant of this fact, tells Kitty of a young gentleman who has fallen in love with her. He has, however, "carried a torch" for another girl for many long years. Though now he claims he loves her, the mind still fearful that his first love will someday return and reclaim her.

Kitty, realizing that the man of whom the maid speaks is her former lover, sacrifices her desires and assures the girl, "Fear not, she'll not return again." The love, last remnant of her love slowly crumbles into ashes in her hand and falls silently to the floor.

The score will be orchestrated for two pianos, a harp and a timpani, one of the pianos being played by composer, Rescia.

Costumes and scenery for the opera will be designed by Ed Furrington; scenery for the ballet, by Bob Boland. Programs are in charge of Gil robbery; Publicity, Gin Leceese; Stage Manager, Dorothy Lipnick; Lights, Jack Manager, Alice Chorbanian; Properties, Keith; and Technical manager, Howard Galley.

Before and after the war, Dr. Mitchell served as instructor in politics at Princeton. Prior to his appointment to the staff here in September, 1949, he was assistant professor of political science at the University of Virginia.

One look at Dr. Mitchell's past career is enough to show us that he will indeed be an outstanding member of the faculty.

Interfraternity ...

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QTV, Alpha Gamma Rho, and SAE

adorned their skirts around well-known songs, changing the lyrics to their desired situations. QTV gave a rousing version of "O'Leary Was Gossamer the Bar," notable only for the acrobatic bust of the "Lady in Red". Alpha Gamma tortured "Nancy Brown" with a routine that would have pushed the whiskers off the bald headed row of any burly.

SAE borrowed "There's Nothing Like a Dame" from South Pacific, any similarity ends there.

Kappa Sig strung a few gay nine-songs together. There opening one's "It's a Devil in His Own Home", looked like the boys might come through but the skit died on its feet during the second scene and finale. At least it didn't run overtime!

TEP and Lambda Chi went back to the war for their material. TEP depicted the descent of Smokey Joe, the rock pilot, to the nether regions,

Collegian Profile No. 37

Rebel Heads Government Dept.

by Helen Turner

The South is ably represented at the University of Massachusetts by a new addition to the faculty this year, Mr. William A. Mitchell, associate professor of government.

Dr. Mitchell engages in consulting work, for he feels that, in this way, he is able to apply knowledge of the subject which he teaches. This summer, for example, he will act as consultant to the Special Commission on the Structure of the Massachusetts

State Government.

Three summers ago he served as consultant for a commission on the organization of the federal government.

In addition to such application of his knowledge, he has written articles on government. One such article appeared in *Law and Contemporary Problems*, published by Duke University Law School. At present, he is working on a similar work in connection with a Princeton professor.

Born in South Carolina, Dr. Mitchell attended school there, and then entered Clemson College, where he did undergraduate work in government. While at Clemson, he was a member of the ROTC, which, at that time, had the largest infantry in the

country. He received his masters in government at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and then enrolled at Duke. Following two years there, he went to Princeton, where he gained his masters in politics. His Ph.D. was attained at Princeton in 1948. At Princeton, he was awarded the Julius Rosenwald Fellowship.

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Band Concert To Be In Bowker Sunday, April 23

by Helen Turner

The University of Massachusetts Concert Band will present its second annual formal spring concert in Bowker Auditorium, Sunday, April 23, at 8:30. The band will present a diversified program of serious 19th and 20th century works, popular modern numbers, and novelty selections.

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Top Ec Students Get Honors Tonight Sunday, April 23

by Helen Turner

Panel discussion on Industrial Liberties sponsored by the Economics Honors Society will be held tonight in Old Chapel Auditorium at 7:30.

The speakers and topics for tonight will be Rev. Paul Williams, of Mt. Holyoke College, "Religious Freedoms"; Mr. John Scott, Amherst College, "Academic Freedom"; Prof. Sterling Lamprecht, Amherst College, "Civil and Political Liberties."

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FRAT NOTES

Gamma Delta of Kappa Sigma announces the election of the following officers for the 1950-51 year. Those selected are: Grand Master, Ty King; Grand Procurator, Dick Vara; Grand Scribe, John Nichols; Grand Treasurer, Russ Beaumont; Grand Master of Ceremonies, Ray Metzer; Conductor, Al Roberts; Alumni Secretary, Phil Cheney; Steward, Dick Drake; House Manager, Gordon Francis; Guards, Bob Warren and Gene Misiaszek; Social Chairmen, Jake Early and Fred Cole; Waugh Memorial Committee, Red Emmanuel and Fred Allen; Inter-Fraternity Council Representatives, John Handforth and Bob Foglia; and Athletic Director, James Duffy.

The Kappa Sigma District Convclave will be held at Brown University on April 21 and 22.

James Duffy, softball coach, has issued a call for candidates. The emphasis this year will be on youth and speed, particularly in the outfield. Coach Duffy will be out to repeat Coach Downey's feat of Kappa Sig's acquisition of the softball championship last season.

In conclusion, the members of the House would like to congratulate Brother Ray Gagnon on his election to the captaincy of the varsity basketball team for the second consecutive season.

Alpha Gamma Rho

The following men were initiated into Alpha Gamma Rho, March 19: Class of '51: Russel Sears, Albert Lee, John Lukens; Class of '52: William Jahn, Roland LaPlant; Class of '53: Joseph Coppola, Richard Cornefoot, Warren Gove, Corine Hale, Jr., Ernest Johnson, Donald Kalgren, Bruce MacLachlan, Albert Perley, Leonard Piore, Myles Richmond, and Warren Wilson.

The officers for the coming year are: Noble Ruler, Roseon Bemis; Vice Noble Ruler, John McMaster; Secretary, Edgar Buck; Treasurer, James Warren; Assistant Treasurer, Thomas Danko; Chaplain Charles Nystrom; Usher, Joseph Putnam; Reporter, William Savard; Alumni Sec-

etary, Albert Barbadora; Junior Alumni Secretary, Donald Stevens; Librarian, William Ives.

Alpha Epsilon Pi

On Saturday afternoon, Alpha Epsilon Pi fraternity will induct the largest pledge class in history. At a formal induction to be held at the chapter house, twenty-two freshmen and four upperclassmen will become brothers.

Saturday evening at the Drake Hotel, a banquet will be held that will be attended by all the brothers as well as a number of the alumni of our chapter. The banquet will be followed by a dance to be held at the chapter house.

On Sunday, the brothers will stage an Alumni Housewarming for the many alumni that will return for the weekend. Over one hundred alumni and their families will be the guests of the brothers at dinner and a cocktail party to be held later in the afternoon.

Newman Club Plans . . .

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Old Chapel Auditorium,
7:30 p.m.—Sermon and Benediction at St. Brigid's.
Friday, April 28
6:30 a.m.—Mass
5 p.m.—Talk at O.C. Aud.
7:30 p.m.—Sermon and Benediction.
Saturday, April 29
6:30 a.m.—Mass
12 Noon—Closing services at St. Brigid's.

On Sunday, April 30, the Newman Club will hold its annual Communion Breakfast at Odd Fellows Hall.

Members of the club will receive Communion in a body at the 8:30 Mass, and a section of the church will be reserved for them at this service. Tickets for the breakfast may be obtained from any committee member.

A large turnout of students is anticipated, and the Newman Club is hoping to make the retreat an annual affair. Newman Club members from Amherst College will be invited to attend the services.

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Pi Phi . . .
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the house."

As far as plans for the future go, Pi Phi is busy with their project for the national convention in the Canadian Rockies, to which they are sending two delegates.

The officers this year are: Pres., Mary Breen; Vice-Pres., Reggie Lawlor; Recording Secretary, Alice Chorobianian; Corresponding Secretary, Carol Hinds; Treasurer, Evelyn Yentler; Pledge Trainer, Dot Fortin; and Rush Captain, Helen Woloshyn. Mrs. W. A. Doering, who has been with the girls since '46, is house mother. Sponsors are: Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert Woodside, Dr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, and Dr. and Mrs. Claude Neet.

Mrs. George Westcott, wife of a U. of M. professor of entomology and herself a member of the faculty at Amherst College, acts as head of the Alumnae Executive Board. A well-known alumnae on the campus is Miss Anne Tilton, instructor in zoology. Tino Romano, now in France, and formerly a teacher at Amherst High, was the only person on campus ever to receive the Cardinal Newman Award. In the outside world, Mrs. Calvin Coolidge and Margaret Truman were Pi Phi members.

The chapter on campus is unique in that it contributes to the support of a settlement school in the Smokies, established in 1912 as head of the Founders of the Pi Beta Phi Fraternity. The purpose of the school is to educate the boys and girls of Gatlinburg, Tennessee.

All of this shows that the girls who

All Roads Lead . . .
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you, is there anything more (melodramatic than that) beside the possibility of a co-ed being trampled by horses on a geology field trip? And tragedly, why it's all around the place!

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Take, for instance, the poor fellow who only got 99 on his last botany exam, ain't that tragic already? Or the sad co-ed who finds that her one-and-only is currently dating her sorority sister on the sly, tch, tch! Comedy, as well as tragedy, abounds. Laughter and mirth pour forth from every table. The fraternity pledge is usually a reliable source for humor, being the ever-ready scapegoat for every prank from "standing" on the tables singing "Mammy" to buying coffee "for the gang."

Yes, all roads lead to this stage of everyday drama, the metropolis of campus. The stage will be set tomorrow morning, curtain going up at 10 a.m.—maybe we can chew on a straw together? You have a ten o'clock class? So have I, see you tomorrow!

LOST (or stolen): One dummy that was hanging in front of TEP house Saturday. (Any similarity to Brothers is purely coincidental). We need the clothes back. Please return. No questions asked.

LOST: Mechanical Pencil, 10K gold filled. Finder please return to G. T. Joly, H-2 Federal Circle, Reward, wear the Pi Phi arrow and crest and the wine and silver-blue colors can be proud of their sorority!

Trustees Serious . . .
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the State must charge costs of the University to the General Fund. The Veterans fund cannot be leaned on.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

ON "TRUTH"

Dear Bruce Bowens,

In regard to Truth:

You stated in your last article that the statement "Truth is a personal thing" sent shivers up and down your spine and reminded you of H. G. Wells' two and a half billion microcosms rather than a world.

Actually, if one wants to get down to the brass tacks, that are so much in demand, that is what one actually does find. The only thing that is certain in the world is change. Nature may be observed with more than usual accuracy because its changes are slower, but then, one must rely on the senses and these are very likely to be fallible.

When one turns to things involving human values in any way, one does indeed find that the world consists of nothing more than two and a half billion microcosms acting, interacting, reacting, operating, and operating singly and in groups and never staying constant from one moment to the next.

Out of these interactions there frequently come statements that are held up to be "Truths" by a majority or lesser number of people (usually far more than twelve, however). As more and more people accept these statements as "Truths" either through

"Faith" or a sometimes dubious logic, they become "External or Absolute Truths" and remain such until they go out of fashion.

All this may lead to much shuddering and even gnashing of teeth but that is where one always ends up when pursuing the train of thought seemed to be following in your article. Never fear though, you have a fine selection of intellectual holes to take refuge in and pull in over your ears.

Even two and two don't make four if you do use a base 10 system.

Best wishes,
Budd Whittaker

RE: TUITION

Dear Editor,

Allow me to compliment you on the competent and fair manner in which you covered the tuition situation in your editorial in the April 20th issue.

In dealing soundly and constructively with tuition it should be continually stressed that there is an over-all philosophy upon which the establishment of a tax-supported education is based. Free tuition institutions are an investment in democracy. The movement was initiated to supplement a privately endowed educational system when it became realized that in democracy where the people depend upon themselves for leadership in government it is in the public interest to provide the facilities to properly qualify the people to govern.

It would seem, therefore, that those who are sincerely interested in increasing the tuition rate at the University are either not aware of the above philosophy, or otherwise not concerned with the responsibilities and needs for a properly functioning democracy.

You are on the right track. More power to you.

Yours very truly,
F. J. Sievers,
Director of the Graduate School

From The Dean

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LOOKING OUR WAY

The Collegian on the Recess Commission reports have not constituted the only newspaper coverage given to the scholarship problem, as it would appear from the following editorial reprinted from the Hampshire Gazette of April 24:

Higher Education For As Many As Possible

The problem of sufficient funds for the University of Massachusetts is with us always, but more than usual attention is being focused on it now, in view of the expansion program and the heavy demand for admissions.

It will be allowed that, as civilization progresses and we have increasing need for educated men and women, all worthy boys and girls should be enabled to take courses beyond high school, and many of them are unable to meet the financial requirements. But many of them are unable to meet the financial requirements.

The final report of the formal commission established to investigate and study certain available education in the commonwealth presents no "middle ground," and the increasing number of students who are now attending college tuition-free may stimulate a considerable number to leave the University.

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Let's do what we can in the late to make it possible for more young people to carry on through college that they may not only look out better for themselves but prove of greater value to their town, city, state and nation.

As President Van Meter said in his last annual report: "Our task is to bring higher education, low in cost but excellent in quality, to the people of the commonwealth. It is our part of the vigorous reaction of America to the most challenging educational problem of the twentieth century."

PUBLICITY

One of the main gripes that the students of this campus have against the University is the lack of prestige and publicity here. They complain that the school is either virtually unknown or still regarded as Mass. Aggie.

These complaints may be justified, but there are several factors that the students fail to consider. The main one is the virtual unknown department of Bob McCartney, head of the News Bureau. Last year, Mr. McCartney sent out over 380 different news releases about activities in this school to over 15,000 different papers throughout the country. Of these releases, approximately 5,000 articles were printed in papers during the last year. For

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

ON "TRUTH"

Dear Bruce Bowens,
In regard to Truth:

You stated in your last article that the statement "Truth is a personal thing" sent shivers up and down your spine and reminded you of H. G. Wells' two and a half billion microcosms rather than a world.

Actually, if one wants to get down to the brass tacks, that are so much in demand, that is what one actually does find. The only thing that is certain in the world is change. Nature may be observed with more than usual accuracy because its changes are slower, but then, one must rely on the senses and these are very likely to be fallible.

When one turns to things involving human values in any way, one does indeed find that the world consists of nothing more than two and a half billion microcosms acting, interacting, reacting, operating, and cooperating singly and in groups and never staying constant from one moment to the next.

Out of these interactions there frequently come statements that are held up to be "Truth" by a greater or lesser number of people (usually far more than twelve, however). As more and more people accept these statements as "Truths" either through

matter it should be continually stressed that an over-all philosophy upon which the establishment of a tax-supported education is based. Free two institutions are an investment in democracy. The movement was initiated to supplement a privately endowed supported system when it became realized that in democracy where the people depend upon themselves for leadership in government it is in the public interest to provide the facilities to properly educate the people who are to govern.

It would seem, therefore, that those who are really interested in increasing the tuition rate at University are either not aware of the above philosophy, or otherwise not concerned with the responsibilities and needs for a properly functioning democratic system. You are on the right track. More power to you!

A. "No comment."

Q. How do you feel about the proposed Faculty Rating Scale?

A. "I feel quite neutral about the Faculty Rating Scale. The difficulty is in the interpretation of the rating results. The administration will probably derive the names of the faculty members who do and do not belong to its panel. However, no action will be taken by the administration in the actual committee of making scale."

Q. "Do you believe that it is a good idea to have the faculty rating scale that is proposed?"

A. "I do not believe that it is a good idea to have the faculty rating scale that is proposed." (Continued on page 11)

FRAT HAZING

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DRILL TEAM NOTICE

There will be a meeting of all girls interested in trying out for the Girls' Drill Team, including old members, tonight at 5:00 at the Girls' Drill Room.

CHEERLEADER TRYOUTS

Cheerleading tryouts for men and women will be held at 5:00, May 2 at Memorial Hall Auditorium. Preference and tumbling ability preferred but not necessary.

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"Hit The Deck" Big Disappointment

by A Collegiate Critic

Hit the Deck, the spring musical, came off as rather a disappointment after the excellent production of HMS Pinafore. Although there were many individual performances which deserve praise, the production itself lacked the spark and verve which constitutes a good show. In contrast to this was the presentation of some relatively new personalities into the operetta world which are a decided innovation.

An Engineer Gives His Viewpoint About Liberal Arts Subjects

by Milton Rome '50

An Engineer develops through research and spoken. He realizes that no matter how good his ideas are, they are worthless unless they can be recorded and clearly explained to other people. Records indicate that the technical man who has the greatest responsibility and leadership has had such an ability.

The technical man realizes that his education must include, at least, basic economics so that he will understand our economic system and the forces that make it work, and he must also have an appreciation of our American system of competitive enterprise which has resulted in our present high standard of living. Psychology has also been incorporated into the Engineer's background. He understands the need of working and living harmoniously with his fellow man. A man who is a good judge of human nature usually goes far in finding a job.

We are living in an age of specialization and keen competition. What does a prospective employer look for in the graduate of our American college system? He wants a man who has a wide social and technical understanding of the world in which we live—a man who knows his job well; he wants a realist, not a dreamer; above all, he wants a man who can accept a position of leadership with responsibility and humility.

The modern Engineering school endeavors to produce men who are free from superstition and prejudice, who are able to meet the problems of everyday life in the same precise and forthright manner in which they would attack the many problems in their laboratory.

The Engineer has come to know the need of expressing himself clearly and logically in good English, both

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SPORTS



Lordenmen Meet New Hampshire Saturday; At Union Yesterday Triumph In First Two Games; Over UConn 7-3, Williams 4-2

The varsity baseball team got off on the right foot, celebrating Spring Day in fine style with a 7-3 victory over the University of Connecticut at Storrs. Ches Corkum and Bill Winn limited the UConn to seven hits, five of which came over the first four innings during which Connecticut did all its scoring.

A mental lapse by Fran Moriarty led to two UConn runs in the first inning. The Redmen scored once in the second and twice in the third to take the lead. After the Huskies tied it up in the last half of the fourth, the Lordenmen took the lead in the fifth and sewed the game up with a three run seventh.

After Love disposed of the Redmen in rather easy fashion to start the game, Porter worked Ches Corkum for a walk. He was picked off first and headed for second. When nobody covered the base, he reached safely. Baldwin walked with one out, and he and Porter advanced on a wild pitch. Allen then drove in both runs with a base hit through the middle.

The UConn handed back one run in the second. With one down, Smith walked and Moriarty got the first of his four consecutive hits. Pyne dribbled a roller in front of the plate and seemed an easy out, but first baseman Tracewski dropped the throw and the bases were loaded. Bob Estelle hoisted a fly to right, just far enough to drive in Smith, but Don scored as Corkum drew a free pass.

Redmen Take Lead

In the third the Redmen took the lead. The first two men went out easily, but Pinto walked and Smith walloped a tremendous triple over the center fielder's head. When the relay got to third base, Smith scored. Fran Moriarty followed with a double, but was left stranded.

Connecticut followed suit in the fourth as the first two men went out, but the next three reached. Armour and Clark laced singles, and when Pyne failed to handle Cass' smash, Armour came around to score. On the play Clark tried to go from first to third, but Pyne took Frydryk's throw and tagged him out.

Hits by Pinto, Smith, and Moriarty put the Redmen ahead in the fifth, and in the seventh the Maroon and White sewed it up. Smith opened with a base hit and Moriarty followed with a single to left. Swensen, who replaced Pyne, drove in both men with a resounding double to left center. Estelle reached on a bobble by Cass. After Winn fanned, Baldwin drove in Swensen with a single to left.

Ches Corkum twirled the first four innings for the Redmen, gave up five hits and saw three runs scored. Good defensive support could have kept the remainder of the game. Winn walked seven, but struck out an equal number. In the ninth he wound up the game by striking out the first two UConn scoreless. Bill Winn took over in the fifth and proceeded to pitch scoreless two hit ball for the batters, walking the next two, and fanning Hocum for the final out.

Redmen

ab	r	h	p	a
Baldwin, b	5	1	0	8
Costello, cf	3	1	1	0
Pinto, c	3	0	1	2
Smith, rf	4	0	1	2
Moriarty, ss	4	0	0	1
Swensen, 3b	4	0	1	1
Estelle, 2b	4	0	0	3
Frydryk, p	4	2	0	2
	35	4	7	27

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UConn

ab	r	h	p	a
Pyne, cf	1	0	0	0
Porter, cf	1	0	0	1
Sotora, 2b	4	0	2	2
Baldwin, rf	3	1	3	1
Ashley, c	3	0	1	4
Witbold, c	2	0	0	2
Hates, 1b	1	0	0	0
Zeller, c	2	1	0	5
Ditmar, p	3	0	0	3
	29	2	3	24

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Williams

ab	r	h	p	a
Lynch, cf	3	0	1	0
Ray, Mason, ss	2	0	0	6
Hay, Mason, ss	4	0	1	2
Pyne, cf	4	0	1	2
Tracewski, 2b	4	0	0	1
Ralph, Mason, rf	2	1	0	3
A. Kelleher	1	0	0	0
Hates, 1b	4	0	1	0
Zeller, c	2	1	0	5
Ditmar, p	3	0	0	3
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Yankee Conference

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UConn	2	0	1	0
Williams	0	0	0	0
Pyne	0	0	0	0
Swensen, 3b	2	1	0	1
Estelle, 2b	5	0	1	2
Corkum, p	1	0	0	2
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Topics from the Tower

By Barb Curran

American International College has joined the Pioneer Broadcasting System, Dave Meltzer, Public Relations Director of the network announced this week. The PBS network now is enlarged to include the four stations —WAMF, Amherst; WSCR, Smith; AIC; and WMUA, U of M.

No doubt the AIC station will not begin programming over the network until September, 1950. Although AIC possesses only a radio workshop and no studio facilities, shows will be fed through the Springfield station WSFL-FM to the PBS network.

The first baseball game of the season broadcast over WMUA this year was well received. Al Taylor and Pat Bran announced play by play descriptions.

WMUA will broadcast all home baseball games this spring season.

On the Town, the audience participation show can be heard every week on Wednesday nights. Everyone is invited to attend this live show at Skinner Hall. A number of free tickets to the Amherst Theatre and guest packages of cigarettes are given to members of the audience.

The Band Concert under the direction of Ezra Shabas was tape recorded for rebroadcast last Sunday night. Dave Baker, Phil Johnson, and Gene Ryan made up the remote broadcast crew. The Jazz Concert to be given Thursday night will also be broadcast over WMUA.

The general meeting of the Conn Valley Student Scientific Conference, Sat., April 29, at which Dr. Carl G. Hartman will speak is also to be tape recorded by the engineering department of the station for rebroadcast next week.

Organizations holding an event of interest to the campus and desiring to have this event broadcast over WMUA facilities may leave a notice at the business office at Draper Hall or drop a penny postcard with the time, date, and place to the Special Events Director, WMUA, South College, Campus.

For the best in listening pleasure tune your radio dial to 650, WMUA, the PBS network.

ADELPHIA

Prof. Doric Alviani, head of the department of fine arts; Richard M. Colwell, assistant professor of business administration; and Warren L. McGuirk, director of athletics, were tapped at Adelphi's 35th anniversary banquet at the Drake Hotel, April 18.

These men, selected for their contribution to the university in the fields of extra-curricular guidance, were introduced by William Troy, president of Adelphi.

The main speaker was Joseph Roberts, swimming coach.

Banquet and Tapping

Prof. Alviani, a graduate of Boston University, has been prominent for many years as an outstanding collegiate choral director. His choirs and choral groups have sung throughout the east.

Prof. Colwell has made a heavy contribution to student extracurricular activities by advising the financial officer of the Interfraternity Council and assisting in many other projects.

Mr. McGuirk, a Boston College graduate, has since his arrival last fall, laid the groundwork for an improved athletic program.

A film will deliver a running commentary on the program, explaining the various achievements heard. A Dixieland jazz band will recreate the music of the early 1925 era. Grace Feeney will sing in the featured vocalists.

The purpose of the program according to Al Hixon, manager, is to audience a wider and more profound appreciation of this branch of American music. He went so far as to say, "Today more people consider American jazz more interesting and hardly worthy of serious consideration as an art form."

"Win A Prof!"
At Mardi Gras
To Be Held May 13

Sigma Delta Tau is making plans to raffle off a professor at the Mardi Gras program May 13th, according to Ed Canara, chairman of the event.

The SDTs, as their part in the program for the advancement of the University scholarship fund, will sell chances on some University professors (yet to be decided upon). The winning group will have the professor available, for a specified length of time, for such tasks as floor-sweeping, dish-washing, and the like.

Another innovation of this year's Mardi Gras will be the addition of a forty foot Ferris Wheel to be placed either in the Cage, or just outside. Tickets for rides will cost 20 cents each, and the Scholarship Fund will keep 20% of the profits received.

The Soph-Senior Hop Committee will present a doll-like structure filled with jelly beans. The person who comes closest to guessing the number of beans in the doll will receive not only the jelly beans, but also a ticket to the dance June 2nd.

In view of this, the annual Mother's Day Concert is sure to be a huge success. In this undertaking, the *Collegian* wishes Mr. Schabas and the entire band the best of luck.

Special congratulations should go

Theta Chi Well-Rounded Fraternity

Among the fraternities on campus, Theta Chi is known to be one of the most well-rounded of all groups. Theta Chi puts no emphasis on any one phase of campus life, but strives to do well in all, either through the house itself, or through its individual members.

Theta Chi first saw the light on campus as a local fraternity named Theta Phi in 1908. At that time, the founders took over the old house recently vacated by AEPi and the fraternity occupied that spot till 1935.

In 1911, the local became part of a national fraternity Theta Chi as the Theta branch. The national fraternity had been founded fifty-five years before in 1856 at Norwich University in

taken lightly. Today Theta Chi under president John Reed, '51, is continuing to keep up its policy of a well-balanced house hold. There is no concentration of wheels all rolling in opposite directions; nor is there a maximum of that type called for lack of anything accomplished just a "member of the house." There are athletes and intellectuals, abstainers and partakers, leaders and followers.

In athletics, although specializing in one sport, Theta Chi has had members on the varsity of almost every major sport this year. Those who did not make the team were strong athletic supporters. The Theta Chi cheering squad at major games

fraternity competition; while other houses go from the heights to the depths in point average, Theta Chi has maintained for the past years a consistently high average. Placing second for the last two years, it is now battling out the stretch with mainly AEPi and Sigma Phi Epsilon to see who gets the coveted cup.

So far, the house has gone through all the gamuts from first through third, and the battle is by no means ended. Among the activities which have contributed to its success in this field have been the snow sculptures, basketball, the Interfraternity sing and Round Robin Costume Ball.

Perhaps a word more should be said about the snow sculptures at Theta Chi, for it is mainly through the work of one of its members that the sculpturing of our Winter Carnivals has reached a point where in artistry and finesse they have put those of the much more vaunted Dartmouth Winter Carnival to shame. In Tony Mangano, the house has found a top sculptor. The rise in technique of building may be traced through his four years at the job: The Lamp Lighter as a freshman, the Last Supper as a sophomore, the dancing Balderdash—the first time that movement had been used in the snow sculptures—in his junior year, and this year's prize winning Song of King Winter.

Outside of the Interfraternity competition this year, Theta Chi has also coped a first in the float contests early in the fall. Continuing the policies of which they were among the first to start, they have again this year opened their house, and offered their services to bring cheer to orphans from nearby orphanages. The practice of decorations commemorating each new football game, in which again they were among the leaders of the pack, was kept up steadily last fall, and each Saturday there would be the signs, flunting or bedraggled as the case might be, to usher in the good old Saturday night crowd. Speaking of the customary Saturday night parties, Theta Chi is now just about the only house which, ignoring the current trend toward exclusiveness, regularly maintains open house, the signs, flunting or bedraggled as the case might be, to usher in the good old Saturday night crowd. Speaking of the customary Saturday night parties, Theta Chi is now just about the only house which, ignoring the current trend toward exclusiveness, regularly maintains open house, the signs, flunting or bedraggled as the case might be, to usher in the good old Saturday night crowd.

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SONG FEST—A group of Theta Chi's gather around the piano after supper and make with the harmony to the accompaniment of Brother Bob Bertram. Looks like they take their singing seriously.

Photo by Kosarick

Vermont. Today the emblem of the two crossed swords over the rattlesnake is one of the best known and most beautiful signs in the Greek world of United States fraternity life.

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At present, we are far behind the other New England state colleges in regard to our athletic program. Every other member of the Conference has been engaged in an athletic expansion program ever since the war. For example, Connecticut has been slowly rising towards the ultimate goal of big-time ball. Rhode Island has been pushing their basketball teams. New Hampshire, Maine, and Vermont are rapidly rising. Yet, up until this year, the University has done nothing to further our athletic prowess.

At present, there is a group on campus that is attempting to remedy this situation. The University of Massachusetts Scholarship Fund, Inc., headed by Don Allen as President, Dr. Anderson of the Food Tech dept. as clerk, and Mr. Robert Perriello of the Bacteriology dept. as treasurer, in conjunction with a similar student group is slowly building up our school. Mr. Allen, spokesman of the group has stated that by 1952, if the scholarship fund succeeds as planned, the University will become members of the Yankee Conference in deed as well as name.

Another question that has been raised is the advantage of belonging to the Yankee Conference at all. A perfect reason in favor is shown in the case of Boston College. BC is not a present member of any conference. As a result, regardless whether they do or do not have an exceptional team each year, they gain nothing by turning out a good team. We are in a similar situation. It is true that Massachusetts received an invitation to the NAIB tourney last February. However, there was no reason that we should have been as completely outclassed as we were, considering that we were larger than at least two of the participating schools. However, unless we become complete members of the Conference, we will become hybrid schools, standing on the fringe of many conferences, playing schools from many conferences, but a member of none with nothing to gain by winning.

However, it will not be enough to merely become passive members of the Conference. As passive members, we do no one any good and the other member schools a great deal of harm. Recently, the NCAA announced that they were going to enlarge the number of entries in their annual basketball tourney to include representatives from all the leading conferences throughout the country. There was no mention made of including the Yankee Conference. We are considered to be a weak conference because of the apathy shown by some of the members. This handicap must be overcome before the Yankee Conference can really gain prestige for its members.

However, there are other reasons for participating and helping to build up the conference. There is a great deal of potential prestige—prestige that this school badly needs—in belonging to a conference. Why are so many schools so anxious to become members of the Ivy League? Not because the member schools are so powerful, but because of the prestige

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students should not spend more than one hour in transit. The services the school is expected to provide is also a major determinant of size, Marshall said.

State Welfare Commissioner Tomkins pointed out that inter-municipal cooperation is sound only when the desire for it comes from the people themselves.

Reaction by local welfare officers and town selectmen last year to the findings of a Recession Commission Report on public welfare procedures in the Commonwealth indicates that Massachusetts towns do not want Union Welfare services at this time, he said.

The Commissioner said he favored Public Welfare Unions staffed with five to seven persons, adding that the key to progress lay in bringing the benefits of Welfare Unions squarely before the towns through an effective program of public information.

"They must be shown the value of sharing the tax base," Tompkins said.

One trouble, he added, is that the Federal government fails to realize that growth, change and development in society does not keep pace with what some Washington intellectuals think in advance about welfare problems.

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FRAT NOTES

Alpha Epsilon Pi
Last Saturday night, Phi chapter of Alpha Epsilon Pi held their 34th annual banquet at the Drake Hotel in Amherst. At 6:00 P.M., approximately 20 alumni and 60 brothers gathered there to enjoy a steak dinner, and to hear a series of important speakers.

The after dinner festivities began with the introduction of some of our alumni dating all the way back to 1924. This was followed by the presentation to the house of a new flag by the president of the newly inducted brothers, Milton Neusner.

President Isenberg then introduced Attorney Oscar Grife, Asst. D.A. of Hampshire County; Mr. Julius Katzoff, president of the New England Region; and Dr. Nandor Porges, Phi '24.

Among the prominent speakers of the evening were Dr. Arthur Levine, adviser to Phi chapter; Dr. Charles Fraker, head of the language department of the University, and a lifelong friend of the house; Past National President Robert Krovitz; and the featured speaker of the evening, National President Fred Katz.

The festivities of the day were concluded by an invitation dance held at the chapter house.

On Sunday, the Alumni Housewarming was held at the chapter house. After a dinner given for the alumni and their families by the brothers was concluded, the feature of the day took place as Mr. Gustav Taube, '25 and Mr. Morris Levine, '19 were inducted into Phi chapter. Both

men were members of Delta Phi Alpha which was the local fraternity that went national in 1933 to become Phi chapter of Alpha Epsilon Pi. The induction marked the end of the formal festivities for the weekend as the Housewarming proved to be a great success.

Phi Chapter of Alpha Epsilon Pi is proud to announce the induction of twenty-two freshmen and four upperclassmen at the formal affair held on Saturday, April 22. The induction was held in conjunction with the Alumni Housewarming and the annual banquet. The men inducted were: Morton Brown, Sidney Brinick, Joseph Finkel, Harvey Gaberman, Marvin Glaser, Stanley Kramer, Gerald Lebow, Richard Levine, Everett Marder, Milton Neusner, Richard Novack, Marvin Reebert, Robert Rubin, Summer Shore, Arnold Sheiffer, Alan Shuman, Herbert Sostek, Harvey Stetson, Frank Sugarman, Sumner Waitz, Walter Wekstein, and Eli Young, all of the class of '53; Louis Tobasky and Martin Harris of the class of '52; and Warren Alberts and Mel Milender, of the class of '51.

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Varied Entertainment For Annual Mother's Day Weekend Planned

Plans for the eighth annual Mother's Day Weekend to be held on campus this week have been completed, it was announced Tuesday by General Chairman Randall Walker, president of the class of 1953 which is sponsoring the event.

A full weekend has been planned by the Mother's Day Committee, featuring Open Houses at all dormitories, fraternities, and sororities.



A moment during one of the many suspense filled scenes in the University Players' first production, "Angel Street", here for a two day run. The three leading characters pictured above are Bert Narbis as the friendly detective, Doris Carbone as the bewitched Bella Manningham, and Dan Daly as the gentleman villian, Mr. Manningham.

—Photo by Tague

The University Players Present "Angel Street"

Patrick Hamilton's long run Broadway thriller, "Angel Street", will open for a two day run at Bowker Auditorium May 6. Both the Friday and Saturday performances, the first to be presented by the University Players, will start at 8:15 p.m. The play had a three year New York run.

The plot concerns a man's attempt to drive his wife insane without arousing her suspicions of resorting to physical violence.

Doris Carbone and Dan Daly will enact the roles of Bell Manningham and her husband. Both are veterans of Roister Doister productions.

Bert Narbis has the role of the detective, a role made famous by Leo Carrillo on Broadway, and Joseph Cotten in "Gaslight," the movie of the play. Phyllis Cole and Alice O'Donnell, also Roister Doister veterans, are cast as Elizabeth, the housekeeper, and Nancy the maid, respectively.

Mr. Hamilton may be remembered as the author of "Rope's End" which has previously been presented at Bowker.

The University Players are the advanced group of the Roister Doisters.

Tickets for the play are on sale at the C-Store.

Over Six Hundred Hear Jazz Concert

The "History of Jazz" concert, held last Thursday night at Bowker Auditorium was the second in a spring series by the University of Massachusetts Dance Band. Not only was the program heard by over 600 people, but that, from on in, the winner is strictly on his own. Place, time, length and expenses of the date are up to the winner's discretion.

Raffle tickets are available from members of the honorary societies and will be available at the festival. The tickets will be drawn in the afternoon.

All fraternities, dormitories, sororities and campus groups can enter a booth at the cage. Games such as side-shows, balldances, dart games, etc., are preferred. There will be assorted refreshment booths, and a ferris wheel.

Composer Rescia, a native of Agawam, adapted his opera to a rhyme playlet by Percy MacKay. The production will be his first work since his score for last year's musical comedy, "What'll Ya Have?"

The Opera will be sponsored by the Chorale, the Operetta Guild, the Modern Dance Group.

The opera takes place in the dressing room of a famous actress, Kitty Clive, in England in 1741. Kitty is a young country girl who has left her home and her lover for success on the stage. But at the peak of her career, she yearns to return to her true love.

She treasures a withered rose, symbol of that long past idyllic life. The opera ends in minor tragedy for the young girl, however, as her former lover has since shifted his affections to another. The rose, last remnant of

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"Slash the budget. Sell the herd. Abolish the presidency: the College seemed to get along pretty comfortably while Clark was in Japan. Eliminate one professorship, presumably the chair of mental and moral science. Put professional salaries down upon a \$2,000 basis, or less if the College furnishes rent. Replace the farm superintendent with a foreman. Reduce the treasurer's compensation to \$400. Let even janitors wages take a cut."

"Of course, if you can run within your present income—but don't you really think you'd be better off as a department of Amherst College?"

"I move you we adjourn."

It happened all right, at a meeting of the Board of Trustees. But the date was not 1950, or even 1949. It was 1879—April 24 to be exact, and the above words are quoted faithfully in a book called "Yesterday at the Massachusetts State College," by Prof. Frank Prentice Rand of our own English Department.

The school was in a dreadful state in those days—Prof. Rand reports frequent strikes of the undergraduate body, including one in which the whole freshman class (numbering slightly over 40) walked out in protest against President Greenough.

One eager group of students went so far as to haul painted calives into the Chapel where, unfortunately, the animals died. Nothing was sacred to the students, even the canon resting on the front law of "South".

The school has come a long way since those days. We no longer find the students going out on strikes because a professor has done something which seems unfair to them. Nowhere in the recent history of the school can we recall the presence of dead animals in the Chapel, or anywhere but in the barn, for that matter. The University of Massachusetts has become a democratic, reasonably peaceful center of education.

But there are some things that haven't changed. Even now, the Board of Trustees is considering a proposal to raise the tuition to \$200. Recently, the governor of the state "slashed the budget" to the tune of \$1,000,000. While no actual professorship has been eliminated, the cut includes the appropriation for a dean of Arts and Sciences to take over the administration of the previously approved joint school.

Some problems, it would appear, are perennial. But there is a consolation in looking over the past records. The college escaped unscathed in 1879, when annihilation seemed inevitable. It's possible we may do the same in 1950.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

THE WOMEN SPEAK

Dear Editor,

The co-ed part of the campus, at least the part that participates in extracurricular sports has been wondering why the *Collegian* does not publish something about girls' sports. We realize that being only intramural, the games do not appear as interesting as interscholastic games, but there is a great deal of competition among the dormitory and sorority teams. The winning of a tournament means success to a group of girls. Don't you think it should be recognized? The girls would not expect to be covered every week, but an occasional short article would be recognition and

at the same time perhaps incentive enough to stimulate more girls to come out for the extracurricular sports that are all important in rounding out a college schedule.

Right now there is a volleyball tournament in full swing. There were basketball games the first of the semester. Softball will hold sway in the spring's warmer weather, and field hockey is the sport in the fall. This does not even include the inter-class swim meet that was held three weeks ago.

How about some publicity for the girls? We too are an important part of the campus.

Dorothy Beale
Cherry Heath
Ruth Coughlin
Lois Rinehart
Barbara Dean
Pat Walsh

City Editor In Talk

On Monday, May first, Mr. Ed O'Dea, City Editor of the *Daily Hampshire Gazette*, spoke to the members of the Journalism 86 class on the qualifications of a good reporter. Believing that the information contained in his talk may be of interest to those who judge us as student journalists, we reprint the complete text below.

"Student's ability to write the best class prophecy or to score an 'A' in English composition is no means the sole qualification for a reporter's job. Smooth writing is not the only mark of a good reporter. It is the proverbial 'noise for news,' not the smooth tongue that keeps a good reporter on the job. Some of the best newsmen in the country have little writing ability. Large newspapers usually have rewrite men who can whip the material into readable shape after the story is obtained. The first job is digging of the newsworthy material, then writing it

I would like very much to express the thanks of the band for the fine writeup you gave us on the band concert of Sunday, April 23. However, in regard to one of your comments on the poor attendance, I would like to say that one of the big reasons for this was the lack of publicity by your paper. Two articles were sent to your office two successive weeks before the concert. One was ignored entirely and the other was cut down and inconspicuously placed on page seven. If you think the band does so well why don't you give us a little more publicity beforehand?

Sincerely,
Woodie Richardson

Dear Editor,

There is an active and valuable group of people on campus who intend to convince all those associated with this University that the panacea for any defects of our school is an athletic scholarship fund. There is another group on campus, less volatile and less active, which believes that what this University needs is better administration, a better faculty, more freedom from politicians in Boston, and a more mature student body: none of these needs can be supplied by an athletic scholarship fund. If I am obliged to sit through a boring lecture by a poor instructor, or suffer the consequences of a senseless edict of the administration, it will be little consolation to me that our football team has won the admiration of football fans everywhere.

Yours truly,
Philip Franke '52
Daniel Porter '52

April 29, 1950

Dear Editor,

I would like to thank you for your complimentary article on the performance of the University Concert Band, which was held Sunday evening, April 20 at Bowker.

You mentioned the fact that "the most outstanding drawback in the entire performance was the lack of an adequate audience." I must say I am in complete agreement on that point. Perhaps a couple of suggestions might help to remedy any such future occurrences. First of all I'm sure that many members of the College Community were completely ignorant of the fact that there was a concert that evening. This I believe, was due primarily to inadequate coverage of the Collegian, for which there was no excuse. An article which was presented to the Collegian two issues prior to the concert was for some mysterious reason not printed. Another article was submitted the following week, but unfortunately wasn't considered important enough to get a decent billing. It was buried on Page 7. Had it found a spot on the first page, it may have been noticed, and I sincerely believe that it was worthy of such recognition.

This further brings to mind the recent Jazz Concert given by the University Dance Band. An enlightening article once again was turned in to the Collegian office only to be cut rather liberally, and nestled in significantly on page 6.

It seems to me that as long as such conditions continue to prevail we can never expect to have a more adequate audience, and hence will not be able to do away with this "most outstanding drawback".

Hopefully,
Mark B. Rogers, '50

WHAT-NO "M" PAGE?

There have been many assaults upon this student body for their lack of interest in the University and its activities. It seems though that a new height of difference has been reached.

"Many of the best news stories in a year do not come to a reporter, 'on the beat,' but come to them from 'news sources,' most of which are considered 'confidential' by the reporters, the city or managing editor who has the good fortune to get them. Other tips come from people who are looking for information themselves or have some axe to grind or want some praise given for a particular job that has been done either in police detection or government."

"When a reporter goes on a story he is representing the public. He must see a thing clearly and describe it simply. That is the essence of good newspaper work. I think it was the publisher of the *Boston Post* who once told reporters: Remember you are not writing for the Harvard honor student, but for the great mass of the common people. The honor student can grasp your language, but it may be impossible for the great mass of people to get the true meaning of your story, if you write for the honor student alone.

"Write so that the reader will say: 'I feel though I had actually seen what the newspaper describes.' And keep in mind the great crowd that cannot afford to hire a corporation lawyer, but can afford the price of a newspaper. Every newspaperman owes to his poorest reader the loyalty that a great lawyer

To Whom Shall I Speak?

From The Brickyard

Bruce T. Bowens



Some of my gray-bearded friends have been chiding me of late for dealing in trivial flippancies in this column, which they consider out of keeping with my advanced years and lugubrious temperament. Upon advice of counsel, I plead nolo to the charge.

These friends look down from their Olympian intellectuality and sneer: "Brickyard, my eye! Those things you are tossing are more like puffsballs. Have we lost you to the Philistines?"

At this point, my dander begins to rise. "Look here," I say, "I think if you check these 'puffsballs' a little more carefully, you will find that they are really little bricks—sugar-coated, it is true, wrapped in cellophane, and then all covered with soft down, but bricks nonetheless."

"As to being lost to the Philistines, I respond that it is possible to dwell among the Philistines without being one of them. Frankly I like some of them very much. Often I meet, among the uncultivated, individuals whose honesty and depth of sentiment humble me into reverence. And surely, it is a good thing for the aesthetically ambitious to be continually reminded that intellectual values are not the only, nor even the highest, values in the world. Just because people know nothing about Kierkegaard's *Chatter* or Alban Berg does not mean that they don't have a large measure of heart which compares very favorably with your own personal qualities.

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"Your aches, pains, misdemeanors and miscreancies—of justice will now be in their hands."

On the Faculty Rating Poll are included the following points: Preparation for class meeting; organization of course; scholarship; interest and enthusiasm in his subject; ability to arouse interest of students; emphasis; class discussion and questioning; quantity of assignments; quality of assignments; ability to express thought; enunciation; thinking demanded of students; method of obtaining work from students; feeling between instructor and students; sense of humor; self-confidence; tolerance and liability; personal appearance; personal peculiarities (a personal question); and approachability outside the classroom.

"Do you, my super-intellectual friends, really think you are any freer than the Philistines? True, they follow the fashion dictated by Ted Williams, Frankie Laine and Ava Gardner. Do you not as slavishly follow the lead of Sartre, Bartok and Paul Klee? Your very Bohemianism is but a convention. If you respond that your conventions are at least higher than those of the ball park, I must agree. But what I am looking for is what I value most highly is the free and independent spirit doing what it does, not in order to impress others with how different or how superior it is, but because it sincerely considers it worth doing.

"One thing about the vulgar, they are at least sincere in their vulgarity. Darn it, they even enjoy being vulgar. Whereas you, your precious Olympians, all too often don't like your own intellectuality. You detest the hard necessity of maintaining the fiction of your own superiority. You feel you must despise the mass-man for the grossness of his values. Yet you can find real pleasure in the desperately talky companionship of your intellectual peers. You recognize it once their phoniness even while unaware of your own. You are like empty bags laboring one another."

"The vulgar man may be an earthen pot. But, in many cases, he is at least whole in spirit. He can be filled. You, my friends, are finest Wedgewood, but cracked alas. What is poured into you will always run out. Yours is an empty elegance. I must put you on the high shelf among the useless bric-a-brac and go down and search for reality among the earthware."

Senator Costa made a suggestion.

"For any further discussion on personalities, a space is reserved for students' remarks. This does not call for such suggestions as 'We ought to drop dead to you' but for intelligent and intelligible evaluations of the teacher's character, if any."

The program is sponsored by the Alumni Club of New York.

Part of the program will be broadcast over WNYC Friday from 5:30 p.m. to 5:55 p.m.

The fourth annual Bay State Dairy Classic will be held at Grinnell Arena Saturday, May 6.

This will be a fitting and showing contest for the 75 or more senior students in the four year Animal Husbandry course and the two year Stockbridge School of the University of Massachusetts.

Animals from the five dairy breeds of the herd of the University Farm will be used for the contest. Prizes donated by manufacturers, publishing houses, breed associations and breeders will be awarded.

This will be the 15th contest of this type sponsored by the Animal Husbandry department.

The sophomore animal husbandry majors will arrange the details of the show.

Yankee Conference Inaugurates Free Meal Plan For Athletes

Early last week, the Yankee Conference issued a ruling to the effect that member schools in the Conference would provide and pay the complete cost for training tables to be set up for athletes during the various seasons. For example, the members of the varsity football team will be given a special meal every evening starting from the beginning of the football season in September to the end of the schedule in the middle of November.

New Judiciary Elected Faculty Poll Next Week

The results of the Judiciary elections are as follows: In the Women's C-Store and Draper, which was held last week, the plan was originally proposed by the University of Connecticut and the University of Vermont. Each of these two schools is using these free meals as a selling point to prospective entrants to their schools next fall. All the schools have to return their answers on the program by the end of 60 days. For the information of many students, this program would cost approximately \$40.00 per day to feed the members of the football team, and the total cost for the season would run close to \$3000. Practically the only source for this expenditure would be from the student athletic fees paid at the beginning of each semester. The main drawback to the program is that the money diverted for this purpose could be put to much better use for scholarships.

One sidelight on this issue occurred in the latest issue of the *Connecticut Campus*. An article in the paper on the training table program made the following statement: "In other words, the plan is still in doubt. To this column, and several other sports editors of Conference schools, it would only be a matter of time before all the members replied a stimulating 'yes.' But then how can one possibly foresee what Vermont and Massachusetts will do."

For the past several issues of this paper, Connecticut has been stressing

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1951 Index Editor Selects New Staff

Gerry Popkin and Warren Alberts, Editor-in-Chief and Business Manager respectively have announced the Board for the 1951 Index.

Melvin Wolf, Managing Editor; Vincent Lecesse, Associate Editor; Maxie Tarapata, Literary Editor; Jan Smith and Joan Delica, Statistics Editors; Edward Tenzer, Photography Editor; Chuck DeFeudis, Sports Editor; Frank Vardo, Advertising Manager; Ruth Johnson, Layout Editor; and Ann Peterson, Secretary.

Each of these points are judge on a basis of poor, fair or excellent. For example, in the point on Ennui, the three points are listed as: Words very indistinct; some words indistinct; speak clearly. The student is to encircle the appropriate term.

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Exam Schedule ...
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Thursday, 3:45 p.m.	WH
Art 34	WH
Hist 32	OC Aud; OC C
Friday, May 26, 8:30 a.m.	Sk 119
Home Ec 26	P Ed 22
Poet 26	F 210
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 10 MWF on daily schedule	
Friday, 10:15 a.m.	LA 3
English 1	LA 3
English 2	LA 3
Mr. Allen	OC Aud
Mr. Barron	Fe D
Mr. Cavanaugh	F 209
Mr. DuBois	OC C
Mr. Goldberg	OC B
Mr. Helming	LA 1
Miss Horrigan	OC Aud
Mr. Lane	G 26, 28
Mr. Marcus	G 26
Mr. O'Donnell	G Aud
Mr. Rand	OC A
Miss Tarantino	CH A
Mr. Troy	OC D
Mr. Williams	F 102
Mrs. Wright	G 28
Friday, 1:25 p.m.	
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 12 MWF on daily schedule	
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 3 MWF on daily schedule	
Friday, 3:45 p.m.	
English 26	OC C
Mr. Allen	F 209
Mr. Barron	Fe D
Mr. Cavanaugh	H 102
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Mr. Goldberg	LA 1
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Mr. Kaplan	F 102
Mr. Lane	G 26
Mr. Marcus	G 26
Mr. O'Donnell	G Aud
Miss Tarantino	CH A
Mr. Troy	OC D
Mr. Williams	FL 204
Mrs. Wright	113, 204
Saturday, May 27, 8:30 a.m.	
An H 26	102
Bot 26	CH A
Bot 28	CH B
Chem 30	G Aud
C.E. 27	319
Geol 28	Fe D
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 10 TTS on daily schedule	
Saturday, 10:15 a.m.	
Chem 2	G Aud, 26, 28; OC Aud; Bowker
Saturday, 1:25 p.m.	
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 3 TT on daily schedule	
Saturday, 3:45 p.m.	
Ed 25, 26	G Aud, 26, 28; 112, 114, 102
Monday, May 29, 8:30 a.m.	
Flori 26	F 106
Jr. Sr. classes scheduled at 11 MWF on daily schedule	
Monday, 10:15 a.m.	
German 2, 26	LA 1
Miss Ascher	LA 3
Mr. Julian	LA 3
Mr. Stawiecki	H Aud
Mr. Thomas	G Aud
Mr. Tibbets	OC Aud
Monday, 1:25 p.m.	LA 15, EA 2
Hygiene (for women)	G Aud
Phys Ed 42	P Ed
Wednesday, May 31, 8:30 a.m.	Sk 118
Home Ec 2	H Aud; G Aud, 26, 28
Physics 26	H Aud; G Aud, 26, 28
Wednesday, 10:15 a.m.	FL 204
Govt 28	OC Aud; G Aud
Wednesday, 1:25 p.m.	NC 402, 406
Econ 12	
Wednesday, 3:45 p.m.	
Bact 31, 31A	CH A; H Aud
C.E. 34	G Aud, 26
Thursday, June 1, 8:30 a.m.	Span 2
Psych 26, 28	LA 1, LA 3
Thursday, June 1, 3:45 p.m.	Span 8
Phys Ed 4, 34	
P Ed	

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Weekly Calendar

1950-1951 Concert Series Announced

Topics from the Tower

By Barb Curran

With the Robert Shaw Chorale performance, the Concert Association has concluded its activities for this year. In connection with the operations of the Association next year, the following people have been appointed: Robert Clapp as General Manager, and Anne Moriarty as Secretary.

Due to the decrease in enrollment next year, the number of concerts has been cut to four. The schedule for next year is as follows: Adele Addon, Nov. 1; Rochester Philharmonic, Dec. 10; Iva Kitchell, Feb. 5; and Artur Rubenstein, Feb. 27.

At this time, a limited number of positions are open in the Association. Anyone interested should contact either Doric Alviani in Memorial Hall, or Bob Clapp at 319 Middlesex Street.

MEETING, Fencing Club, Fencing Club, Chapel, Room 7:00

SOIREE, Maison Francaise, Memorial Hall, 7:00

MEETING, Flying Club, Chapel, Room 7:00

DANCE, Sigma Phi Epsilon—Open

Saturday, May 6

PERFORMANCE, "Angel Street," Bowker Auditorium, 8:15

OUTING CLUB, Bicycle Trip to Sunderland Caves, Leave Amherst Common 1:30

DANCES, International Club, Memorial Hall, Lambda Chi Alpha, Open House, Alpha Epsilon Pi, Invitation Alpha Gamma Rho, Open House, S.A.E., Invitation, Sigma Phi Epsilon, Invitation, T.E.P., Invitation, Phi Sigma Kappa, Invitation.

You can make your mark in radio history, if you like, by making your dedications personally over the air. Of course, if you suffer from mild fright or lack of energy to make the fourth floor studio, you can always make your dedication via Bell's invention for the small sum of five cents.

This office is open 1:50 on Mondays through Fridays. Any of you young ladies who feel the desire to enter the business world gradually should get in touch with Roy Pitman at the radio station. There is still a need for girls to be in the office at certain times of the day.

If any of the clubs or organizations on campus have announcements they would like to be made over the air, get in touch with Irv Wasserman.

The program was varied, consisting of many well-known marches in addition to popular songs (including a rendition of "Some Enchanted Evening" from South Pacific), and some jazz music.

The band was stationed just outside the windows of the Alumni Office, and the audience reigned over the spacious south lawn. Additional spectators watched the performance from the warmer confines of the Memorial Hall offices.

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Mama's Enjoy Big Weekend As Guests At U.of M.

Band Concert Draws Large Crowd

About 200 students and their mothers attended the performance of the University Concert Band on the lawn of Memorial Hall Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p.m., it was announced this week by Ezra Schabas, director of the band.

The closing feature of the eighth annual Mother's Day Week-end at the University, the band concert was received with applause despite an extremely high wind which played havoc with the hats of the audience and the music of the band.

In addition to Mr. Schabas, four student conductors were heard during the concert. These were Bob Bertram, Fran Lucier, Al Lustig, and Dick Green.

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In Senior History At Largest Convocation To Speak

On May 18, the Chapel bells will ring at 11 a.m. to announce the largest Senior Convocation ever witnessed at the University, according to Joe Hilyard, chairman of the event.

Faculty members and seniors in full academic dress will file in formal procession into the Cage for the first of their commencement exercises. The enormous class and greatly enlarged faculty require the use of the Cage for the first time in the history of the school, according to Mr. Hilyard.

The traditional speech will be given by Paul Gagnon, one of the top-ranking men in the senior class. His topic will be "Education for Freedom" and will include comments on the educational setup at our institution.

The University Chorale will render the nostalgic "When Twilight Shadows Deepen" and Handel's famous

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MARDI GRAS—Below is a map of how the Cage will look to those attending the Mardi Gras Saturday night. All proceeds of the event will be given to the scholarship Fund.

Over 300 Mothers Register Here

Over 300 mothers registered Saturday morning at Mem Hall for the eighth annual Mother's Day Weekend.

A few mothers arriving on Friday evening were fortunate in being able to attend the French "soiree," sponsored by La Maison Francaise in Mem Hall, where palm trees created a completely new atmosphere.

The program actually got under way Saturday afternoon with about 400 attending the Naiads' water ballet featuring dance routines. Approximately 100 people saw the U. of M. tennis team defeat Clark University 6-3, bringing the record to 500 with two victories and two losses. The reception scheduled for the Rhododendron Garden from 3-5 was held in Mem Hall due to the weather.

The largest audience to witness a dramatic production this year gave the actors in "Angel Street" a tremendous ovation for their fine performance. Before the performance, the Statesmen presented a concert that was equally well received. Songs included: "Chinese Honeymoon," "Georgia Brown," "Kentucky Babe," dedicated to the mothers; and "Don't Do It," dedicated to the fathers. Open

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Collegian Elects; Sinclair, Hafey To Be New Editors

At a meeting of the Collegian staff last Thursday, Lloyd Sinclair, '51 and Richard Hafey, '52, were elected to the top positions for next semester's Collegian. Mr. Sinclair served as managing editor of the paper during the past semester and was promoted to the position of editor. Richard Hafey served as make-up editor throughout the past semester, and moved up to the managing editor's position.

At the meeting, a number of competitors were also elected to the staff. The new members are Edward Pawlowski, Roger Mallory, Don Morey, and Bob Rubin, all of the class of '52.

Mr. Sinclair announced the appointments to next year's staff of the Collegian: Associate Editor, Joseph Broude; Feature Editor, Judy Brode; News Editor, Larry Litwick; Copy Editor, Barbara Flaherty; and Sports Editor, Dave Tavel. The new staff will take office at the beginning of next semester.

RECORD COLLECTION

The record collection has been moved from the main desk to the Art Room of the Goodell Library it was announced by Mr. Frederick R. Tibbets, faculty representative of the University Record Society.

This room is behind the stacks to the left of the entrance to the main reading room. The collection is open from 2 to 5 p.m., daily Monday through Friday.

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SENIOR CONVOCATION

Senior Convocation will be held

in the Cage of the Physical Education Building on Thursday, May 18, at 11:00 a.m. Classes will be stopped at 10:40 a.m. to enable faculty and seniors to robe and be ready for the academic procession which will start promptly at 10:50 a.m. Faculty will robe in the Physical Education Building and the seniors in Memorial Hall.

Adelphi and Isogon will also sell

chances on the two professors to be raffled off at 8 p.m. by their organization.

The two professors are Miss Ann Tilton of the Zoology department and Dr. William Ross of the Physics department.

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FROM THE STATE HOUSE

Some time ago, the Collegian editor addressed a letter to Governor Dever, requesting his statement on the proposed tuition hike for publication in the campus newspaper. The following reply to that request was received in the office this week:

April 28, 1950

Miss Elizabeth A. Kreiger
Editor-in-Chief
The Massachusetts Collegian
Memorial Hall
Amherst, Massachusetts

Dear Miss Kreiger:

His Excellency the Governor has directed the undersigned to reply to your recent communication enclosing a clipping from a student newspaper at the University of Massachusetts relative to a proposed raise in tuition at the University.

I am very sorry but it is impossible at this time to furnish you with any observations of the Governor on the recommendation of the Recess Commission for two reasons. In the first place, the matter of tuition charge is an administrative subject under the exclusive control of the trustees of the University. As you know, there are a number of such trustees and only one of the current board is an appointee of Governor Dever. Were the Governor to express his views on any matter pertaining to the administration of the University he would be open to charges—however unfair—of attempted political interference in the academic field. The Governor is justifiably loathe, therefore, in even creating the appearance of such interference.

There is a second reason. The reports and recommendations of recess commissions are primarily for the consideration of the legislature, which is the law making body. It is more the exception than the rule when such recommendations are enacted into law by the legislature in the precise form in which they are made by such commissions. Except in cases where the Governor himself recommends legislation to the General Court he does not express his views on pending legislation preferring to act upon such matters only after both houses of the legislature have passed measures and submitted them to him for executive approval.

I am sorry that we have to disappoint you in the matter which is undoubtedly of great interest to you and the other students at the University, but any other reply at this time would be premature and, in view of what I have set forth above, ill advised.

Yours sincerely,
John Henry Morris
Special Counsel to the Governor

THE WOMAN'S ANGLE

It may be news to some people on campus that Skinner Hall, the beautiful Home Economics building which commemorates a woman who was once Dean of Women at the University, and which houses the women who are our future dieticians, nutrition experts, home economics teachers, and mothers, is the result of enthusiastic efforts on the part of another group of women. This group, the Women's Advisory Council, today has a luncheon scheduled at Butterfield cafeteria. The group, under the direction of Mrs. Albert Farnsworth, is now trying to be instrumental in the building of a new dining hall on campus. It is the hope of the Collegian that the Women's Advisory Council will be as successful in this venture as in their last one.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

STUDENT WIVES

For two months now, before their monthly meeting of April and May, the Student Wives Club has been trying to get a small box announcement of each meeting in the Collegian. The announcements reached the Collegian office both times in plenty of time to be printed in the Thursday issue, yet they were completely left out. Why?

We realize that these news items concern only a small group of people and that the wives are not actually students, yet to those concerned, the Collegian announcements are very important. It is the only way many wives know about meetings. A drop in attendance was noticeable at the last two meetings, I think his record speaks for him in a contest of this kind.

"M" PAGE

Dear Editor,

I would like to nominate Joe Hilyard as "Man of the Year." His sincere school spirit, pleasant personality, ability as an organizer, and dependability are all evident to anyone who has worked with Joe in any one of the many activities with which he has been left out. Why?

Some people may not know Joe. That's understandable because he isn't a headline hunter. I think his record speaks for him in a contest of this kind.

Sincerely,
Bob Leavitt '50

Dear Betty:

I should like to submit my nomination of Thelma Litsky for Woman of the Year on the Collegian "M" page. I know it might be enough to just go through the Collegian elections, but I feel so strongly about this that I think it my duty to point out her eligibility. Thelma has not only been outstanding in such activities as the Senate of which there is no question she has been a leading force for three semesters, but also with WSGA of which she was secretary. She is also president of Isogon, a very active member of campus dramatics and has aided the school in many ways of which the students do not know. Time and again she has won for the students points of favor from the Administration of which the campus in general has little knowledge. Discreetly speaking, she was even the first to attempt the successful reinstatement of Spring Day. Such little things as this have brought her no glory but have aided immensely the student's life in school should not go unnoticed. I think there can be little question that Thelma will be elected Woman of the Year.

Gin Leceese

Dear Editor:

Because of his excellent work in all phases of school life, having not only participated in athletics, most types of extra-curricular activities, and at the same time having maintained a high scholastic average, I would like to nominate Joseph Hilyard for "Man-of-the-Year". I'm sure you have his list of activities which should speak for themselves, not only in length, but also in the amount of work he has put in to each one.

Yours truly,
Thelma Litsky

TO BRUCE BOWENS

Dear Bruce,

Excuse me if I seem to take you too seriously, but I painfully note a marked ambiguity between the explicit polemic of your last column and the implied message which your style communicates. You might critically review your latest harangue with an average sophomore or freshman who is your "common man" on the campus. See if your erudite illusions are comprehensible symbols to his untutored mind! You yell about the condescending aloofness of the intellectuals but do it in the "elevated" language and illusion of the people you attack! Looking back on your other articles, would you say you quite a habit of speaking the language of the "Philistine Haters". If you have friends among the "lower classes", I would say that your style indicates that you are not quite aware of their taste or abilities of comprehension. Frankly I find your column about the only thing of literary value in the Collegian, occasionally showing unusual intellectual insight. However, it seems tragic that your intermittent genius is oftentimes hidden amongst references which only students in literary criticism would be apt to fathom.

Dick Andrews '51

AS OTHERS SEE US

The following is a true copy of an article that appeared in the Daily Hampshire Gazette on May 3, 1950.

WOULD ALLOW U.M. TO SEEK LICENSE FOR TELEVISION

(Special to the Gazette)

BOSTON, MAY 3—Children would be protected against watching the wrong type of television programs under a plan advanced by Rep. Ralph W. Sargent (D) of Boston.

He would allow the University of Massachusetts to apply for a license to operate a television station and devote its facilities exclusively to educational programs.

Sullivan said that "television represents an excellent medium for educational sciences and to assure sufficient allocation of time to educational programs, the University of Massachusetts should obtain a license to operate a channel devoted exclusively to education. Too much time watching the wrong type of program impairs a child's schooling. The proposed educational programs would aid the children in their school work.

Lost

One pair of men's eyeglasses and accompanying brown leather case. Misplaced somewhere in the vicinity of the Rifle Range or near the front steps of the Homecoming Finder need not be bashful, please return to "Gus" Kantor at room 214 Mills House or to The COLLEGIAN, Memorial Hall.

RADIO PROGRAM

Tomorrow night from 6:45-7:00 p.m. the Collegian, in collaboration with the Senate, will discuss over WMUA, the latest news and views on campus. Tune in and listen.

THOMAS F. WALSH
College Outfitter

"Angel Street" Well Received By Mothers' Day Weekend Audience

by Bruce Bowens

Last Friday and Saturday, a play of this type has become a matter of common knowledge, then the drama has lost its chief charm. *Angel Street* has, I fear, been somewhat dated by the wide circulation of the motion picture *Gaslight*. The drama's suspense fails to keep us at the high pitch of excitement which we felt when we first saw it. For instance, I was struck Friday

night as I had not been struck before with how very talky a play this is. There is practically no physical action until the third act, and even there it is slight. Consequently the whole dramatic effect must be created by the delivery of the lines by the small cast of five players. The cast bore this burden rather well.

Doris Carbone as Mrs. Manningham was particularly effective in the first two acts, where she was playing the ingenuous, confused and fearful wife. In the last act, I could have wished for just a bit more vehemence. Her final scene should fairly search, for here she is giving vent to long-contained passions in an extraordinary outburst of vindictive violence.

Bert Narbis did an excellent job as Rough, the detective who was anything but rough. He was properly nimble and acute in his delicate dealings with a distraught woman and a homicidal maniac. His Scotch wit, Scotch practicality and Scotch whiskey were all neatly in character. His final triumph was a triumph of patience, acuity, calmness, and not a little luck. We were with him all the way.

Dan Daly as Mr. Manningham gave a good performance. Dan has a splendid voice and a keen ear for rhetorical flourish. These talents, however, at times work against him as an actor. His delivery occasionally sounds like recitation—good recitation.

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Central Calendar Schedule Will Avoid Major Conflicts

On February 1, 1950, the President appointed a student-faculty committee on Calendar Coordination, with the specific mission "to clear major events on the campus to avoid conflict in dates."

The committee has devoted much study to the extra-curricular calendar and is gradually working out a procedure which, it is hoped by the committee, will be helpful to students, group advisers and building heads.

The system now going into effect employs the following procedure: The maintenance of a central calendar, on which will be entered all extra-curricular events (athletic games, concerts, plays, conferences, dances, meetings, and activities connected with rushing, homecoming, etc.)

This calendar is located in the office of the President, where it may be consulted at any time.

Students and faculty members wishing to reserve dates are asked to fill out standard application forms, available in the President's office, and leave them with the committee clerk, indicating (if possible) three acceptable dates, in order of preference.

The show, the last to be presented by the Naiads, was last night at Bowker Auditorium. A final performance will be given during Commencement weekend.

Naids' Exhibition Pleases Crowd of Visiting Mothers

The University girls' swimming club, the Naiads, presented two well-attended performances of their annual water ballet Friday and Saturday of last weekend.

Over a hundred spectators were present at the Friday night show, and Saturday's performance had an audience of over four hundred. Thirty girls, attired in red, white and blue bathing suits, took part in the program which followed a dance theme, Tangos, waltzes, fox trots and an aquatic square dance number were featured. A comedy sketch was also included in the program.

The show, the last to be presented by the Naiads this year, lasted about an hour.

Mrs. John Harmon directed the performance, assisted by Dorothy Beals, president of the Naiads.

Mother's Day *Continued from page 1* house teas were held in the dorms after the play.

Sunday afternoon, the U. of M. band presented a concert on the Mem Hall lawn. Despite blowing dust and wind, the music carried well and the concert drew the weekend to a fitting close.

of the date to make arrangements for janitor service, etc., if such service is necessary.



Baseballs & Softballs
Bats & Gloves
Tennis Balls
Rackets
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EVERYONE GOES TO THE U STORE

For Your Snacks, Supplies and Every Need

The University Store

The Most Popular Course on Campus

Washburn Chosen Premier Showman At Dairy Classic

Seventy-seven well fitted cows and heifers paraded before more than 300 Mother's Day guests on the University of Massachusetts campus Saturday afternoon as University seniors and Stockbridge School of Agriculture seniors competed for premier showmanship award and special breed prizes.

John Washburn, Stockbridge senior, was declared winner by judges Albert L. Mann of the University of Connecticut and George Hibbard of Westfield Farm. His stylish Ayrshire heifer, "Bay State Patriot E. Windsor," was awarded a wreath of roses.

The reserve premier showman was pretty Gladys Kimball, Stockbridge senior. Third place winner and Jersey breed champion was Edward Creed, University senior, followed by coed Eleanor Crowell, also a University senior, with the Milking Shorthorn breed champion. Holstein breed championship went to Carl Stockbridge, while the Massachusetts Guernsey Cattle Club trophy went to John Chambers. Both are Stockbridge seniors.

Other Western Massachusetts winners were two Stockbridge seniors: Robert Loomis, in fifth place, and John Homich, in eleventh place in the finals.

The Sophomore Animal Husbandry students assisted in the preparation of the Show, which was under the supervision of Robert G. Swanson, Instructor, and Richard C. Foley, Acting Head of the Animal Husbandry Department.

The fourteen finalists who survived the semi-finals out of the original 77 entries were as follows in order of standing: John Washburn, Premier Showman and Ayrshire Breed Champion; Gladys Kimball, Reserve Premier Showman; Edward Creed, Jersey Breed Champion; Eleanor Crowell, Milking Shorthorn Breed Champion; Robert Loomis, Milking Shorthorn Cow; Ernest Vieira, Ayrshire Heifer; Carl Stockbridge, Holstein Breed Champion; Warren S. Jones, Jersey Cow; John Chambers, Guernsey Breed Champion; W. Perry Lane, Guernsey Cow; John Homich, Holstein Heifer; Herman Langevin, Guernsey Cow; Franklin Harris, Guernsey Cow; and Theodore Eschholz, Holstein Cow.

Quarterly Editors Are Announced

Ruth Camann has been elected Editor of The Quarterly for 1950-51, it was announced this week by Editor Faye Hammel.

Also moving into staff positions will be Joseph Towler as Associate Editor and Bob Boland as Art Editor. New members of the Literary Board are George Cliche, Al Governor, Dick Letts and Luise Moncey.

The final issue of the year will be out early next week, Miss Hammel said. It will feature short stories by Joseph Towler, Hank Lawrence and Leo Cohen; poetry by Bruce Bowens, Bob Davies, Bill McGrath; and art work by Bob Boland, Paul Pincus, Zane Bower and Bill Tague.

Copies of the issue will be distributed to all dormitories, fraternities and sororities. Extra copies will be available in Memorial Hall.

Chamber Music ...

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The concert promises to be highly professional in performance and will provide an opportunity to hear in extraordinary instrumental combinations two rarely heard works by old masters and four unusual works by contemporary Americans.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

CLASS GIFT

Dear Editor:

We, the undersigned, were overjoyed at the prospect of reading that the largest graduating class in the history of the University of Massachusetts proposed for their class gift a spunking brand-new flagpole. When we come back in years to be, we'll be able to point with pride to their bit of phallic symbolism which the class of 1950 has struck in the hallowed grounds of our campus. We look forward to next year's class gift which undoubtedly will be a huge red, white and blue flag, lying at the bottom of the flagpole, waiting to be hoisted by the class gift of the class of 1952—the rope.

Al Taylor '51
Norm Lee '51
Ralph Briggs '52

Dance Band Will Play At Final Dance Friday

Tomorrow night, at the Drill Hall, the University Dance Band will hold their final dance of the year. The dance will run from 8:00 to 11:00 p.m. and the dance will be stag or drag with admission being forty cents.

The Dance Band has worked up several new arrangements for the dance, and refreshments will be served during intermission. Since the dance comes after the end of classes, and before the beginning of what is a perfect time to have a final fling before hibernating during finals week.

In addition, the Collegian has this semester been instrumental in the recent decision of the Board of Trustees to keep the University tuition at its present \$100 per year rate. In this, the paper felt it had a worthy cause to fight, and no effort was spared to point out the consequences that would result should the proposed doubling of tuition be voted in. In the future, the Collegian hopes that it may be as successful in fighting for the students it represents.

It is well known on the campus that the Collegian had more than its share of trials and tribulations with the constant turnover in editorial positions early in the semester. That people were found to take over the vacated positions so as to make the paper more smoothly organized than at any time in the easily-recalled past is not so much a tribute to the judgment of the editor as it is an indication of the fine caliber of journalistic writing that is to be found on the campus.

To Larry Litwack and Joe Broude, a sophomore and a freshman with no previous journalistic experience but who rescued the dying News and Feature departments from the depths of disorganization and transformed them into efficiently operating groups, the editor can only express humble appreciation and gratitude. To Wendell Cook, another freshman who took over the copy editor's position and performed his thankless duties with enthusiasm and expertise, and to Dick Hafey, our quiet but competent make-up editor, the "lady editor" expresses thanks and the hope for even greater success in the future. An orchid, also, to Dave Tavel, who succeeded to the Sports editor's position and did his job willingly and well.

To Lloyd Sinclair, who will be the next editor of the Collegian, the editor wishes success of the highest type, and to aid him in his task, bequeaths a loyal and efficient staff who will do their utmost for the Collegian and for him. The paper will be to him, she hopes, as enjoyable and inspiring as it has been to her.

There are many others who deserve mention in these columns: Bill Tague, with his expert camera and feature-writing talents; Everett Kosarick, who took over at a moment's notice; Gin Lecesse, whose sparkling Senate reports evoked much comment and were widely read; Barbara Flaherty, who quietly filed away news-papers and cuts with never a thought for glory; Robie Maynard and Jim Curtin, without whose assistance the present editor would have been lost; and, in fact, the entire Collegian staff, who have given their time and effort to the turning out of a weekly newspaper that is a credit to the University. And to the forgotten men of the paper, the business staff—Bill Less, Gerry Popkin, and the rest—the editor expresses greatest appreciation, and a half-amazement that they managed to do so much with so little.

One more person must be mentioned in this, the "swan song" of the Collegian editor. To Arthur Musgrave, our adviser, goes the largest bouquet of all for his ever-lasting good faith and his bountiful aid. It is true that the Collegian and he have had their differences, but from each encounter the paper emerged wealthier in experience and with a greater knowledge of journalism than it had previously possessed.

An editor cannot hope to thank individually all those who have made the paper a success. Suffice to say that she is eternally grateful to all who have furnished the paper with news, or who have offered encouragement and ideas when her courage was at lowest ebb. No editor could ask for more.

We who are about to depart have already made our modest contribution to the Collegian and to the University as a whole. We have tried to do our best to give the school a newspaper of which it could be proud. Now we can only wait for you to judge our contribution, and hope that it will be remembered when we who made it are no longer personalities, but only names on the long pages of University history.

IN APOLOGY

At first glance I thought this was a nice recognition of the valuable service of the Advisory Council of Women but I am disturbed to find this mistake.

Mrs. Joseph S. Leach of Walpole, who is a Trustee of the University, has generously given splendid leadership as Chairman of the Council for many years. She is a loyal friend of the University and reads the Collegian with much interest.

Mrs. Albert Farnsworth is Chairman of the Legislative Committee of the Advisory Council of Women.

I believe a correction is in order and would be appreciated.

Helen Curtis

Ed. Note: The COLLEGIAN did not mean to infer that Mrs. Farnsworth was chairman of the entire Woman's Advisory Council. We were under the impression that Mrs. Farnsworth was leader of a group within the Council which was working toward a new dining hall for the University. The COLLEGIAN apologizes if any misunderstanding has resulted.

FACULTY RATING

The Editor of the Collegian:

This last week the students had the questionable honor of rating their profs on the Senate's new Faculty Rating Blank. The idea was basically good but as far as these rating blanks go, there it stops. It has become quite apparent that those of us who had looked to the appearance of these forms as a step in the direction of more progressive education at this institution, were but wishful dreamers. The School of Agriculture already had a rating system which, in spite of its inadequacies, was far superior to that put out by the Senate.

The new Senate form is so set up that the student must mark the instructor at one of three levels, 100, 60, or 0. There is no flexibility. The Senate form also leaves out two of the most important factors in evaluating an instructor. 1. His ability to present the material in such a manner that it may be readily understood by the class; and 2. Are his exams representative of the instruction given. If an instructor fails to fulfill these two basic requirements no matter how high his rates otherwise, he is not a good instructor.

A further bad feature of the new Senate form is that their system contains no announced policy which places any teeth, however dull, in their system, and it also has no announced incentives for an instructor to improve his teaching methods. As the situation stands at present those instructors who are already doing a good job will probably try harder and those who could well benefit from studying the racing forms will figure that their class is a bunch of crackpots anyway and continue as they are or grow worse if that is possible.

It is greatly to be hoped that the present sad and inadequate rating form is not so bad as to queer a good idea which might well be put to good use in the future.

Oscar C. Doane, Jr.

MARDI GRAS

Dear Editor:

We at this time wish to thank the Collegian staff for the fine job they did in writing about the Mardi Gras to raise money for the scholarship fund.

We also thank first of all the fraternities and sororities who built the booths for the Mardi Gras. The following deserve much praise: Adelphia, Dr. Bois, Miss Tilton, Soph-Senior Hop Committee, WMUA dormitory, Mr. McCartney (news service), Isaac Lecesse, Paul Ramey, Mr. McGuirk, Tom Eck, Mr. Jewett, Mr. Bretham, Mr. Mellen, the Campus Police, U of M Club, the many merchants in the town of Amherst and each and every person who made the Mardi Gras a success.

Sincerely yours,

Edward Camara
Hall Fiennan
Co-Chairmen of the Mardi Gras

INDEX

The 1950 Index will be delivered to all the members of the student body at Professor Dickinson's office in 202 Stockbridge Hall between the hours of 9-11 and 1-5 on next Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. All seniors are urged to pick up their books early to avoid the last minute rush. Everyone in the school is entitled to a book and this will be the only opportunity this year to get a copy.

Former Editor In Talk

Paul Perry, former Collegian editor, spoke to the members of the Journalism 85 class on Friday, May 12. His talk concerned his duties as night news editor of Radio Station WBEC in Pittsfield.

Mr. Perry explained the differences between writing for a newspaper and writing for radio. In radio news, he explained, no item should exceed one minute in length because the car tires after a short time. In other ways, the two mediums are similar in their demands.

Paul is a February graduate of the University, and a newly elected member of Adelphi.

POETRY

The following are bits of wisdom from the pen of one of our local athletes who prefers to remain anonymous.

Why?

Tom is quiet, tidy, and quite clever,
Tom spends his time in honest endeavor,
Joe is careless, sloppy, but he has curbs.
Tom makes good money, but Joe gets the girls.

The Library

A library is a wonderful place
With thousands and thousands of books,
But if you cough in a library
All you get is dirty looks.

Advice To Young Men

Be careful when drinking and watch your money!
If you lose your money, you may lose your home!

Floorwalker In A Dept. Store

A floorwalker has a thankless task
And hides his feelings behind a mask.
He sees that the help is clothed and fed
And prays that the shoppers will all drop dead.

Haspel Prado Cords

IN SUITS OR JACKETS ALONE, COOLER AND CRISPER THAN EVER, TRIM TAILED LINES THAT REALLY STAY NEAT. IN THE NEAT FROM DAWN TO MIDNIGHT. GUARANTEED NOT TO SHRINK OR FADE — WASHES AS EASILY AS A HANDKERCHIEF AND THE PRICE IS THE LOWEST IN YEARS — NATURALLY SUCH A VALUE WILL BE FOUND AT

THOMAS F. WALSH

College Outfitter

Mary Had A Little Lamb

From The Brickyard

Bruce T. Bowens



Well, here we are at the end. And sooner than we could have thought four months ago. The old expression tempus fugit is inaccurate. It should read tempus fugit. Only in retrospect does time seem to fly. Today is always here, and tomorrow never comes.

And what of our vanished yesterdays? Have they done ought but light "fools the way to dusty death"? Somehow I am afraid not. It seems frightfully appropriate that upon graduation we should be presented with sheepskins. For we go forth as sheep, moving in flocks, incapable of independent thought, playing follow the leader, choosing furthers at random from our own mediocrity, eating, sleeping and rutting, and pushing on we-know-not-where.

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The land of the free and the home of the brave is become the land of the knee and the home of the slave—the knee bent to customs and the slave of conformity. Pattern, rigidity, stereotype—those are the watchwords of our world today. And we, the college graduates, where is our creative genius? Do we dare defy the rules? Do we dare to read Partisan Review? It's antipacifist, you know. Do we dare to eat like Chopin? It's effeminate, you know. Do we dare to eat a peach? Shall we wear the bottoms of our trousers?

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SPORTS



UM Tennis Champions Of Yankee Conference

Led by Captain John Cleverly, Dorchester senior, the University of Massachusetts swept to the Yankee Conference Tennis championship at Durham last weekend. Cleverly powered his way to the singles title, and then teamed with Tom McManus, Waltham senior, to sweep the doubles laurels. John Oliver and Gene Taylor were the other UM entries.

Playing superb tennis all the way, Cleverly registered victories over Galant of New Hampshire and Blanchard of Maine before meeting Love of Rhode Island in the finals. Meanwhile, McManus, a southpaw exponent of the "big game," hung up a victory over Peterson of Maine before bowing to Love. The final's match was the best of the tournament, and saw Cleverly, in true championship style, rally after dropping the first set, winding up in a blaze of glory to take the individual title.

The doubles saw some excellent play, especially on the part of the Redmen. Avery and Potens of Maine fell before the Cleverly-McManus onslaught. The Redmen made it short and sweet over Bergman and Burdett of Rhode Island, and then swept to the championship downing the outstanding Rhody duo of Hale and Love.

Singles—Cleverly (M) defeated Avery (Me.) 6-0, 6-0. McManus (M) defeated Peterson (Me.) 6-1, 7-5.

Cleverly (M) defeated Blanchard (Me.) 7-5, 6-4. Love (RI) defeated McManus (M) 6-2, 6-3.

Finals—Cleverly (M) defeated Love (RI) 6-1, 8-6, 6-2.

Doubles—Cleverly and McManus defeated Avery and Potens (Me.) 7-5, 2-6, 6-4. Hale and Love (RI) defeated Oliver and Taylor (M) 6-1, 4-6, 6-4.

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Finals—Cleverly and McManus defeated Hale and Love (RI) 6-7, 6-4, 6-2. (Only UM matches shown)

Team score—Redmen 12, R.I. 7. Maine 1, Conn. 1, N.H. 1.

Champion Redmen Down Connecticut

Retaliating for last year's set-back, the newly crowned Yankee Conference Champions defeated the University of Connecticut 6-3 on the latter's home court last Monday. Although Captain John Cleverly was upset by the UConn's Axely, victories by McManus, Jones, Wyman and Selig in the singles paved the way for the triumph.

Not until the doubles was the match decided. Then the Cleverly-McManus duo walloped the Axely-Zimmerman combo 6-3, 7-4. Hart and Wogan sewed up the match with a three-set victory over the Connecticut number two duo Anderson and Chanmin.

Axely (C) defeated Cleverly (M) 6-0, 7-5. Anderson (C) defeated Kennedy (M) 6-1, 9-7. McManus (M) defeated Norton (C) 6-4, 6-1. Jones (M) defeated Sinaitro (C) 9-7, 6-2. Wyman (M) defeated Collins (C) 4-6, 6-3, 6-4. Selig (M) defeated Bechtel (C) 6-3, 6-3. Cleverly and McManus (M) defeated Axely and Zimmer (C) 6-3, 6-4. Hart and Wogan (M) defeated Anderson and Chanmin (C) 6-3, 4-6, 6-4. Bechtel and Norton (C) defeated Oliver and Taylor (M) 0-6, 6-3, 6-3.

DON
It just "donned" on me. The second, third, and fourth men in the varsity baseball lineup are named Don. They are left fielder Quimby, center fielder Costello, and right fielder Smith.

**BASEBALL
MONDAY**
**REDMEN vs.
RHODE ISLAND STATE**
3:00 P.M.



CAPT. JOHN CLEVERLY
New Yankee Conference
Singles Champ

Review & Preview

As the 1949-50 school year draws to a close another series of records join the athletic history of the University. We can look back over the season's achievements and thereby gain some idea of what is in store when a new year starts in the fall.

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In their second home game of the life last weekend as the Lordmen blasted three Norwich hurlers for nineteen hits and a 13-6 victory, and were in the process of giving the same treatment to Mac MacCain of the University or Vermont when rain halted proceedings.

Against Vermont the Redmen held a 3-2 lead going into the last half of the second when the game was stopped. Vermont grabbed a two-run lead by taking advantage of three walks by Marty Anderson, but five solid blasts in the top of the second put the Maroon and White back in front.

It was only the second appearance of the Redmen at Alumni Field's so-called pitchers' paradise and it proved a paradise. Starter Marty Anderson was bothered by wildness, and retired in the third. His successor Bob Kroek lasted until the fourth when Bill Winn took over. Bill won creditably until the Techmen garnered four solid hits off his offerings in the ninth.

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Neither team scored in the first as the Redmen left two men on and Norwich the bases loaded. Pinto opened the second with a single, Estelle bundled him to second, and Baldwin drove him home with a base hit to left.

In the third a double by Baldwin and a single by Baldwin coupled with a base on balls and a wild throw gave the Redmen two more runs. Norwich will be replaced by the tricky split-T made for the fast light team now wearing the Maroon and White. The schedule is tough, but we're ready.

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Largest Senior Class In UM History To Graduate In June

Billy Note Orchestra To Play At Soph-Senior Dance June 2nd

The Musical Coctails of Billy Note's orchestra will again grace the Soph-Senior Hop this year, June 2, at the Northampton High School Gym.

The dance, last formal of each year, is a farewell gesture to the departing seniors, a sort of last fling before facing the workday world. Publicity co-chairmen felt in an interview that Billy Note's smooth danceable music, lacking the eccentric frills and manias of many of the bigger name bands will be much more appropriate for such a nostalgic event.

Billy Note's orchestra is well-known on campuses throughout New England, having played in such colleges as Amherst, Bates, Wesleyan, and Bowdoin, and also at Mount Holyoke.

The decor for the dance will feature the Storm of Colors seen at the Winter Carnival this year, with the addition of an extra sphere from which the lights radiate. In addition there will be floral archway effects at the entrances.

Price for the tickets will be \$3.60 per couple, the dance starting at 9 p.m. and ending at 1:00 a.m. Refreshments will be served by members of the Varsity M Club while special cupcakes and punch will be served to the chaperones and patrons.

Chairman of the dance is Ray Buckley, president of the class of '52. Other committee heads include: Tickets and Programs, Jean Hazelton; Refreshments, Muriel Fauteux and Eunice Diamond; Decorations, Arthur Almack; and publicity, Bruce Cooley and Fred Cole.

Adelphians Tapped At Senior Meeting Held This Morning

Paul Gagnon, senior honor student, delivered the principal address at the 1950 Senior Convocation held in the Cage this morning. His topic was "Education for Freedom."

Other highlights of the program were vocal renditions by the University Chorale, presentation of the class gift, presentation of the Adelphi-Osogen gift, and of other awards and scholarships.

Nineteen senior and junior men were tapped by Adelphia, men's honorary society on campus, at the close of the senior convocation in the cage this morning.

In the senior class the following men have been named to the society: Edward Canara, Louis Clough, George Cooley, Charles L'Esperance, Evan Johnston, William Luti, Benn Merritt, Bertrand Narcis, Paul Perry, and Henry Thompson.

Members of the junior class being tapped include: Mario Fortunato, Raymond Gagnon, Charles Kidd, Vincent Leesee, William Less, Frank O'Keefe, Harvey Segal, William Starkweather, Charles Stephanos.

William Troy, president of Adelphia, introduced the new members after the senior members of the society had circulated among the spectators to conduct the new Adelphians onto the stage.

The Adelphia Society was organized in 1915, recently celebrating its thirty-fifth birthday. It tries to give recognition to men who are leaders in the various branches of student life. The society now includes some four hundred graduate and undergraduate members.

The junior members of Adelphia tapped this year will be responsible for ushering at graduation, taking charge of rallies next year, sponsoring the Campus Varieties and in general working to maintain high standards in the student activities on campus.



From The President Of The Class

The following is a message to the members of the senior class from the Class President Bob Leavitt.

"In order that the Senior Class may have full information on all activities connected with commencement week I have asked the various committee chairmen to write reports for publication in this issue of the Collegian. The plans on this page are final barring some unforeseen catastrophe."

I want to thank the chairmen and all members who have had a part in working for the class. Our class is the largest in the history of the institution. This fact, alone has caused new problems. Owing to the poor turnout at the four class meetings all decisions have been made by the executive committee. Many people have offered personal suggestions on various class projects. All these have been considered.

Deciding a class gift was one of the most difficult problems. In choosing a flag pole for the athletic field the committee kept in mind the real purpose of a class gift. That purpose is to provide something permanent so that past and future students of

the University may see a lasting symbol of each class.

"So remember those words from the Senior Song, 'and now that time has come when we must bid the trail of life's ascent,' we say farewell to Bay State. Good luck to every member of the class. May our reunions reflect the good times we have had during college days."

Since, Rob Leavitt
President, Class of 1950

HOUSING PARENTS OF MEN STUDENTS

The deadline for reservations for housing of parents of men students for commencement week-end has been set at May 26, 1950. Reservations may be made at Alumni Office, Memorial Hall; money must accompany reservation at the rate of \$1.00 per night per person.

Rooms reservations may be picked up at the Alumni Office after June 1.

Bedding will be supplied; it is suggested that guests bring towels and soap as the supply may run short.

H. A. Randolph
Housing Supervisor

Senior Treasurer Gives '50 Report

A cap and gown transaction with the Alumni Association, which netted the Senior class over \$1,000, made possible a senior banquet paid for out of the class treasury, it was announced this week in the report of John Flanagan, class treasurer.

At first, Treasurer Flanagan reports, it was feared that the individual members of the class would have to pay for the banquet, but the cap and gown transaction swelled the total in the treasury to \$6,500. This made it possible for the treasury to cover the cost of the banquet, as well as other expenditures.

In his report, the Treasurer complimented the various senior committees on their financial discretion, saying that expenditures to date had been very small.

ATTENTION: CLASS OF '50
Invitations and announcements of Commencement Exercises can be obtained at Mem Hall immediately following graduation exercises.

Members of the Cap and Gown committee, in addition to Miss Donahue, include Barbara Wood, Warren Blodgett, Allen Keough, and Jerome Wyman.

1173 Seniors Will Take Part In 1950 Exercises June 4th

THE BRASS MEETS—Members of the Senior class will congregate on the steps of Memorial Hall before the final meeting of the year. Commencement plans which were decided at this meeting are given on this page.

A class of 1173, largest in history of the University, will graduate on Sunday, June 4, it was announced this week by the Senior Class Executive Committee.

Graduation exercises will be held on the Library lawn at 3:00 p.m. In case of rain, the exercises will be moved into the Cage.

Other events listed for Senior Week are Soph-Senior Hop at Northampton High School Gym on June 2, Class night at Bowker Auditorium at 5:00 p.m., June 3, and Baccalaureate at Bowker Auditorium on the morning of June 4.

Principal speaker at the graduation exercises will be Edward Weeks, editor of the Atlantic Monthly. Governor Paul A. Dever will also speak to the class.

Information on the class invocations was given by Ernest Ouellette, chairman of the Invitation Committee. Each senior will be given two Commencement booklets, one with leather cover and one with a cardboard cover. These booklets consist of the following material: commencement week program, names of class officers, class day speakers, a list of committees and their members, members of honorary societies, the names of candidates for graduation, their degrees, and names of former students who graduated last summer and last February and their degree.

In addition, each senior will be given six graduation announcements and three engraved invitations to graduation exercises. It is to be understood that the announcement definitely informs the recipient of the fact that the student is graduating, when the invitation informs the recipient that his presence is desired at the exercises.

The summary: Steward (T) def. Cleverly (M) 7-5, 6-4; Kennard (M) def. Corey (T) 5-7, 8-6, 10-8; Wood (T) def. Thomas (M) 6-4, 6-2; Wogan (M) def. Donald 7-5, 6-3; Wyman (M) def. Jacoby (T) 4-6, 6-0, 6-3; Sels (M) def. Newton (T) 8-6, 6-4; Cleverly and Kennard (M) def. Steward and Donald (T) def. Allen and Oliver (M) 6-2, 6-3; Hart and Wogan (M) def. Jacoby and Newton (T) 6-2, 6-1.

As a result of this win, the Redmen now have a record of five wins and two defeats, as well as having annexed the Yankee Conference team and individual crowns. This afternoon, the team travels to Springfield College to seek revenge for last year's 9-0 shutout. Coach Steve Kosakowski hopes to turn the tables this year.

On Saturday, the team goes to Tufts College for what should be a tough match since Tufts is supposed to be loaded this year.

The team will wind up its schedule next Monday afternoon when they meet their perennial rivals, Rhode Island, here in the gravel pits in what should be the top match of the year.

Senior Banquet To Be June 1st In Springfield

The class of 1950 will hold its

banquet on the night of June

it was announced this week by Mr.

Byrne, Banquet Chairman and mem-

ber of the Executive Committee

the Senior Class.

Site of the banquet will be

Hotel Kimball in Springfield,

the cost will be taken care of

the class treasury.

At first it was feared that

members of the class would have

pay for the banquet themselves,

a transaction which saved the

some \$1000 on caps and gowns

it possible for the treasury to

the expenditure.

However, Chairman Byrne

announced, the amount remaining

the treasury will not permit

or husbands of married students

attend the banquet.

Tickets for the affair will be

out in the University store begin-

ning May 17. For those students

February graduates and are re-

turning for the banquet, and for

those who cannot pick up their tick-

ets in the University store, a booth will

be placed in the lobby of the Hotel

Kimball on the night of the ban-

quet.

It is requested that anyone

regarding further information re-

garding the class banquet contact Jack

at Kappa Sigma.

Four Days Listed For Gown Wearing

The following four dates were list-

ed by Cap and Gown chairman Bar-

nah Donahue as days on which the

wearing of caps and gowns is re-

quired for seniors: Senior Convoca-

tion, May 18; Class Night, June 3;

Baccalaureate, June 4; and Gradua-

tion Exercises, June 4.

In addition, Miss Donahue re-

quested that the girls wear white col-

ors with their gowns, and that everyone

wear black shoes.

All gowns must be checked in at

Memorial Hall immediately follow-

ing graduation exercises.

Members of the Cap and Gown

committee, in addition to Miss Dona-

hue, include Barbara Wood, Warren

Blodgett, Allen Keough, and Jerome

Wyman.

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COLLEGIAN SPORTS

Tennis Team Wins Fourth Straight

Traveling down to Trinity College in Hartford, Connecticut, for a tennis match, the University of Massachusetts varsity tennis team racked up their fourth straight victory as they defeated Trinity 6-3.

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In the singles, Cleverly and Ken-

nard easily defeated Steward and Donald, and Hart Wogan came through with the clinching point to wrap up the match 6-3.

The summary:

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Rabold, 3	5	1	2	Young, 2	5	1	1
Bakey, 1	5	1	2	Tucker, ff	5	0	0
Walker, ff	3	1	1	Dobek, 1	4	1	1
Akermon, ss	5	0	1	Vikas, 1	5	1	2
Young, 1	4	0	2	Anderson, 3	4	1	0
Wozniak, c	4	0	2	Walker, 1	4	1	1
Cleary, 1	4	0	1	Wozniak, 3	1	0	1
Steward, 1	4	0	1	Walker, 1	4	1	1
Hart, 1	4	0					

Rain For Tomorrow is Monday Night Prayer of Goldbricking Cadets

by Phil Johnson

Each Tuesday morning at about 11:00 a.m., you may perceive a over and all are in correct position, scurrying multitude of khaki-clad, half-asleep individuals despondently congregating in the vicinity of the Drill Hall. These oppressed masses of protoplasm represent the University's obligation to the Reserve Officer's Training Corps. In addition to regular military classes, they meet each week on Tuesday for an hour of individualistic solitude during which the rudiments of military drill are obliquely imposed. The purpose of



FALL IN—Confusion is rampant as the bewildered cadets endeavor to find their respective squads, platoons and companies.

this inexorable process is to prepare 'order to catch the glance of some fleeting female. Harsh admonitions are constantly heard from the officers who, armed with sabers or "45" automatics, shout cadence, give group directions, and keep general peace among the ranks.

As the long lines of rifle-bearing uniforms swing along, a weird sound, somewhat resembling march music, can be heard, which is probably made by the band. Finally, the entire corps is assembled and ready for review,

5th Annual Soiree Enjoyed by Many; Weiss Gives Talk

The band goes up and down the field twice while the troops stand at attention in the sweltering sun and listen to strains of the sometimes undecipherable music. Of course, the band is an important part of any military organization, and ours is no exception. Under white helmets and grinded with white leggings, the band marches by, occasionally a bit inhibited when half of its members seem to lose their places, hit a "blue note," or play as if their mouths were full of marbles.

Over fifty guests attended the fifth annual French "soiree" held May 5 at 8 p.m. in Mem Hall, in an atmosphere transformed by palm trees and the usual informality to one of beauty; Dr. Katherine Clark, head of French house, and Joan Stern, its president, contributed much to the shinny faces can be seen as an overgrowth of adolescent beard, a slept-in uniform, shoes which appear to have wallowed in the mud of Iwo Jima, and an occasional out-of-step freshman who is ruining his eyes in the same time.

By the sponsors, the girls of La Maison Francaise were evening gowns—a traditional part of the "soiree." Madame Gilbert Cestac, wife of M. Gilbert Cestac, of the French Department, opened the program by playing "Sous les d'Enfants," "Etude de Concert," and "Premiere Valse."

Guest speaker was Monsieur Gaspard Weiss of the French Department, whose talk centered on the life and works of the French author, Antoine de Saint Exupery.

The subject was well-chosen as the French Club gave an original presentation two months ago of Le Petit Prince, Saint Exupery's last work. Monsieur Weiss, a friend of Saint Exupery, obtained paintings from the French publisher Gallimard; these paintings flown from France were on display along with the author's books.

MARITIME STUDENTS!

La Maison Francaise will be located at the Abby on the south corridor of the first floor next year. Eleven girls, not including the French resident, will be chosen from the applicants by the French Department.

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MARITIME STUDENTS!

Don't forget the big family picnic this Sunday, May 21, at Look Park from 11:00 on. Soft drinks will be furnished. If it rains, the picnic will be held May 28.

In the afternoon we work in the ice cream department. Most small plants make their ice cream by using cream from cans, but this is a lot of extra work. To save a few steps in the process, we usually bring the cows in and put a large bucket underneath her. On top of the bucket we put a strainer and in the strainer we pour the cream from the cow to pour down over the ice, through the strainer and into the bucket. We add the coloring and flavor after the ice cream has been frozen by punching a hole into the ice and pouring it in. Sometimes, if the ice cream is a little too hard, we have to use a hammer and chisel, but an expert in the trade knows just when to handle it.

Most of it is ordinary human being can take without cracking up. But the big drawback, the straw that breaks the dairyman's back, is the starting hour in the morning. Instead of the chickens getting you up, you usually sit on a fence and crow, to wake the chickens up. Then you're wondering how chickens got into this little, don't worry about it, because I don't know either. Except that maybe cows have more sense than humans. At least they know enough not to get up before the chickens.

But I seem to have forgotten my tie—the daily dairy plant procedure. First of all, we start the day by parading the cows through the barn until we have them set up in assembly line formation. This is a simple procedure as the cows have been around awhile and have an idea what's coming next. Then it takes about fifteen minutes to figure out which faucet the cream comes out which one gives milk.

Since I was a rookie, one of the cows thought he'd have some fun.

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VETERANS NOTICE

All veterans who graduate in June and who plan to attend graduate school here or elsewhere are reminded that a supplemental certificate of eligibility is required at registration time if payment of tuition is to be made by the Veterans Administration. Application for this certificate should be made in the Veterans Office, Sargent College, as soon as you know the graduate school you will attend and the major field to be studied.

All veterans (P.L. 346 and P.L. 16) who plan to attend summer sessions at the University of Massachusetts and all veterans (P.L. 346 and P.L. 16) who plan to return to the University of Massachusetts in the fall and who will not attend summer school here nor at any other institution should meet in Bowker Auditorium, Stockbridge Hall, on Friday May 19, at 4:30 p.m., to complete your re-enrollment forms.

Attendance at this session will facilitate early receipt of subsistence checks.

JOURNALISM AWARDS ...

Continued from page 1
Maynard, former Collegian editor and managing editor, and correspondent for the Springfield Union; and William Tague, former art editor.

Mr. Tague was the recipient of the fourth prize for his photo-journalistic work; as a member of the Journalism 86 class, he sold two feature articles.

The winners of this year's awards will receive a year's subscription to Nieman Reports, a professional journalism quarterly published by the Society of Nieman Fellows.

Stockbridge Student Beset by Dreams Of Sinking in Cottage Cheese and Cows

by Joe McGivern

(Ed. Note—This article was written from a dairy plant, deep in the heart of Springfield, by a student on vacation training. The views expressed by this student do not necessarily reflect the view of the U of M faculty.)

Most people who cannot fall asleep quickly try counting sheep. Most people, that is—but not me. When I lie bed at night I see COWS, and fat COWS—skinny COWS, and fat COWS, all jumping over COWS. Have you ever tried counting COWS? Well, that's what happens when you work in the dairy industry.

When you finally do get to sleep, usually wake up screaming because you've been dreaming you were sinking in cottage cheese.

SKUNKS AND ...

They talk about the resemblance between a skunk and a garbage collector. But have you ever stood within feet of someone who has just finished a day's work in the dairy plant? If you haven't, brother, you won't live.

But all this isn't too bad once you come home and wash up with DDT. The embarrassing part comes when you greet someone, and instead of saying hello you say M-o-o-o-o!

Most of it is ordinary human being can take without cracking up. But the big drawback, the straw that breaks the dairyman's back, is the starting hour in the morning. Instead of the chickens getting you up, you usually sit on a fence and crow, to wake the chickens up. Then you're wondering how chickens got into this little, don't worry about it, because I don't know either. Except that maybe cows have more sense than humans. At least they know enough not to get up before the chickens.

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THE MASSACHUSETTS COLLEGIAN, MAY 18, 1950

EVOLUTION

(Snipped from the Fort Wayne Newsletter)

Sophomore

If She's a Freshman
smiles at naughty jokes,
says, "Oh, please stop."
thinks a college education
leads to things social and
cultural.

thinks midnight is pretty
late,
won't date a boy who has
had a drink.

thinks things learned in
college leave one intelligent,
likes to smooth.

And they call it -
Her motto: "Mother
knows best."

thinks all boys are nice,
drinks cokes on a date,
wants to marry a football
player.

reads "How to Win
Friends and Influence
People".
tells her roommate every-
thing.

Junior

Senior
smiles at naughty jokes,
says, "Oh!"
thinks a college education
leads to things.

thinks midnight is mid-
night,
won't date a boy unless
he drinks.

thinks things learned in
college leave one intelligent,
likes to smooth.

Her motto: Boys will be
boys.

thinks none are nice,
drinks anything anywhere,
anytime.

wants to marry a man,
reads "Care and Feeding
of Infants".

P. S.—We wanted to add
Graduate Student, but
found several parts censored.

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"What's so remarkable about it? He's way below the class average!"

FRAT NOTES

Kappa Sigma

Gamma Delta of Kappa Sigma is proud to announce that brother Edward Pawlowski has passed the required examinations, and will enter the United States Military Academy at West Point July 5.

Bob Foglia will enter Tufts Medical School next fall.

Omitted from a previous list of officers are Dana Davis, rushing chair-man and Dave Johnson, pledge chair-man.

The Annual Spring Formal will be held the weekend of May 12-14 at the chapter house.

Gamma Delta chapter of Kappa Sigma announces the initiation of the following men: Class of '50: Pete Angelo and John Kleiber; class of '51: Bob Driscoll and Frank Driscoll; class of '52: Don Smith and Dick Erlandson; class of '53: Henry Walter, George Bicknell, Dick Conway, Frank DiGiannarino, Fritz Pratt, Dick Hayes, Lucian Prokopowitch, Bill Becker, Jack MacDonald, Gordon Benson, Noel Reebenauer, Henry Hicks, Don Grancan, Ed Powłowski and Bob Mahoney.

John Early has been selected to replace Bob Foglia on the Inter-Fraternity Council.

Sigma Phi Epsilon

The following men were elected to office in Sig Ep: President, Robert Gitterer; Vice President, Ralph Kinsler; Recording Sec., Robert Spiller; Corresponding Sec., Irving Stockwell; Historian, William Starkweather; I.F.C., Thomas Gately; Guard, Al Tortoretti; Senior Marshal, Edgar Carty; Junior Marshal, R. Stanwood Briggs.

Last weekend, Sig Ep was host to 10 delegates from Middlebury, W.P.I., Norwich, New Hampshire, and Maine. Sig Ep chapters. The object was a conference concerning the abolition of the discrimination clause of Sig Ep. A resolution was planned which will be presented to the national organization. Sig Ep held a big party for the delegates whose dates were furnished by Chi Omega. Entertainment was furnished by many performers of the year's Campus Varieties. Sig Ep is greatly indebted to these people for their wonderful show, but most of all, Sig Ep wishes to thank Laura Levine without whose help the show would not have gone.

Phi Sigma Kappa

Recent elections of Phi Sigma Kappa were: President, Malcolm T. Payne, Jr.; Vice President, Andrew Mangum; Chaplain, R. Bruce Wogan.

Weekly Calendar

Thursday, May 18

CONTEST, Flint Oratorical and Burnham Declamation Contests, Skinner Auditorium, 7:30
PERFORMANCE, Faculty Recital, Chapel, Auditorium, 8:00
MEETING, Forestry Club, French Hall, Room 209, 7:00
MEETING, InterVarsity Bible Club, Chapel, Room A, 7:15
MEETING, German Club, Chapel, Seminar Room, 7:30
MEETING, Lutheran Club, Chapel, Room B, 7:00

Friday, May 19

DANCES, University Dance Band, Drill Hall and Memorial Hall, 8:00
Chi Omega—Invitation, Pi Beta Phi—Invitation, Greenough Dormitory—Open House for Couples.

Saturday, May 20

OUTING CLUB, Three College Bicycle trip, Leave Experiment Station, 10:30
DANCES, Kappa Sigma—Invitation, Lambda Chi Alpha—Invitation, S.A.E.P.—Invitation—Spring Semi-Formal, Theta Chi—Old Clothes Dance, T.E.P.—Open House, Alpha Gamma Rho—Invitation.

Monday, May 22

FINAL EXAMS

Commencement Speaker . . .

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Weeks is well-known, also, for three series of radio broadcasts in recent years and for his lectures. During the past five years, he has delivered more than 200 lectures and probably does the greatest "repeat" business of any American lecturer: he has appeared ten times at the N.Y. City Town Hall and twelve times at Columbia University.

Mr. Weeks holds honorary degrees from Northeastern, 1938; Lake Forest, 1939; Williams College, 1942; Middlebury College, 1944; and the University of Alabama, 1945. He has been Overseer at Harvard for the past five years, a trustee of Wellesley College since 1947, and a trustee of Antioch College since last year.

Mr. Weeks is eminent in civic activities. He was elected Chairman of the Peabody Radio Awards, 1940-1950; Pres. of the Boston Radio Council, 1943; Director of the Harvard Alumni Association; Chairman of the Speaker Bureau for the Greater Boston Community Fund in '45-'46; and Director of the Citizens Committee for Army & Navy, Inc.

Bill Manley, with Phil Dean as alternate, has been chosen to represent Gamma Zeta at the annual Lambda Chi Alpha Convention to be held in early September at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago.

Lambda Chi's annual Spring Formal will be held on May 13 at the Roger Smith Hotel in Holyoke.

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Phi Sigma Kappa

Saturday, May 18th, was the gala night when Phi Sigma Kappa held their annual Moonlight Ball. Preceded by a buffet dinner, couples later danced to the melodious tunes of Billy Vincent and his orchestra, in a mystic midnight blue atmosphere with myriad of star-dancing and a pale blue moon shining down on palm trees.

Chaperons for the affair were Captain and Mrs. Glenn Willoughby and Captain and Mrs. Maurice Searies.

Theta Chi

Theta of Theta Chi announces the initiation of the following men: Class of '51, D. Foster, V. Leccese, Class of '53, G. Nadeau, B. Warren, J. Bristol, R. Gunther, D. Jenkins, P. Robbins, A. Leavitt, E. Friend, W. McRane, D. Martin, J. Ritter, J. Rabone, P. Gajewski, R. Fisher, J. Lajoie, R. Weiler.

Lambda Chi Alpha

The annual Lambda Chi Alpha Founders' Day banquet was held on Sat., March 25, at the Bloody Brook Inn in South Deerfield. Next to the inch-thick steaks, the highlight of the evening was a talk by Warren McGuirk on "The Future of Athletics at the University." Many alumni as well

No Board Hike In Dining Halls Next Semester Senate States

by Gin Leesee

The final meeting of the Senate was held on the lawn of illustrious Old Chapel, sort of a constitutional grass. Among the actions discussed were the new Senate radio program, the faculty rating scale, new budget, NSA, and the results of the Senate letter to the Board of trustees in regard to the hike in tuition, an indication of a fairly good working Senate, one which, although it has not accomplished all it could, has still accomplished a good deal.

Congratulations were extended, and rightly so, to Messrs. Navoyan, Feinberg, and Tarr in regard to their letter protesting the hike in tuition to the Board of trustees which no doubt helped to gain a unanimous vote against such an action by this Trustee committee.

This letter by the way was discussed over WMUA on the new joint Collegian-Senate program set up by Senators Camara, Keegan, and Curran and two members of the Collegian. Their second program regarding the new budget for next year will be broadcast this Friday on WMUA from 6:45-7:00 p.m.

The fact was made clear that there will not be a hike in board rates either. The misconception came from the fact that the figures which caused such a hubbub were figuring on a seven day week instead of the actual five on which the board bill is based.

The faculty rating system brought from Professor Sherman Hoar a letter containing the following among its suggestions. (1) That the Uni-

versity should bear the cost for such a rating scale. (2) That the information be used as self improvement by the individual instructor for the first two years and then turned over to the Dept. Head on the third to determine his appointment to tenure. This is only for the new teachers. (3) Questions to achieve such actions as prompt exam return, and exam criticism.

Placement Training . . .

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We've tried to help "Bert" out, but "Minnie" just won't have anything to do with him. She's sort of a snob, and since "Bert" isn't a pure breed, she's waiting for one. She'll probably be producing orange carbonated water before we get pure bred bull around here. But when we tell her this she just wags her tail and says "I'm all or nothing."

If you've read this far and still haven't made up your mind what to major in, I suggest you buy yourself a cow and learn the business. There are a couple of guys who hang around Mem Hall who can show you the ropes. There isn't a thing Mary and Duffey, the baddies I left behind, don't know about cows. And as for the bull—they know that inside and out. They'll be only too glad to take care of your cows for you.

So until fall, when the Maroon and White runs out on the gridiron again, our "moosey" reporter will rest easy here in Springfield among the cows and milk bottles. It's a fascinating occupation, even if you do have to mix a little onion with the cheese to kill the taste.

Chorale . . .

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The new members inducted at the concert were: Barbara Brooks, Joan Conlin, Joan Cormack, Anita Krueley, Lois Nelson, Patricia Read, Dolores Rego, Ruth Rounsevel, Joy White, class of '52; Nancy Adams, Sonja Anderson, Barbara Clifford, Dorothy Curran, Maureen Egan, Mary Grace Findlay, Doris Halvorson, Alice Jagiello, Nancy Meader, Joan Miklas, Suzanne Piper, and Barbara Urbanek, class of '53.

Ashes of Roses . . .

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sort of closet opera.

Just a word must be said about the devil of the evening. I use so harsh a term because I am sure none other than a malicious Mephistopheles could have such pulling the curtain Friday night. It took a positive genius for the perverse for anyone to make so many wrong moves. It is a wonder no one was strangled to death.

All told, the production was a very ambitious undertaking for so young a musician as Dick Rescia.

The opera was preceded by a short concert. Roland Gagnon, baritone, struggled heroically with Wagner's *Die Meistersinger von Nürnberg*, whose dimensions exceed the lyric quality of his voice. He was better in Leoncavallo's *Mattinata* and the two light lyrics which followed, though here he was bothered by a somewhat heavy-handed and independent accompaniment. Theda Torlai, harpist, substituted for the absent piano soloist, doing a Palestina Chorale very well, and a harp showpiece, *The Fouette*, with proper scintillation.

Lorna Wilden, soprano, sang Puccini's *Vissi d'arte*, a dramatic masterpiece not entirely suited to her brilliant coloratura. She was much more at home in Bizet's *Opera de Coeur* and the laughing Song from *Die Fledermaus*. She too had a bit of accompaniment trouble and it was just until her encore, Nevin's *Mighty Lak a Rose* that the accompaniment became subdued and subservient to the wishes of the singer.

Also director Doric Alviani is to

be praised for his efforts to give a varied and balanced program by rejecting an over-scholarly approach to the chorale's repertoire. In keeping with his crusade for "democracy in music," he is, through the chorale attempting to demonstrate that music is fun for all.

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Art Exhibit

The final picture exhibition of the current college semester, a one-man showing of the oils, water-colors, cassettes and architectural drawings of the Amherst Music Department, will be held at the Collegian office.

FOUND: A woman's Waltham watch with leather strap. Owner may claim it from Miss Totman at the Phys. Ed. building.

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\$600,000 Appropriated To Build Dining Hall

Despite the completion of the \$8,000,000 post-war building program at the university this year, rapid progress is still being made in the expansion of the campus building program.

Construction will begin this fall on an \$800,000 dormitory for

Collegian Competitors

The Collegian, campus newspaper, has openings for cartoonists, photographers, news and feature writers, and rewrite personnel.

All members of the student body interested in joining the staff are urged to attend the competitors' meeting to be held Thursday, September 21st at 7:00 in the Collegian office, Memorial Hall.

1300 New Students Here Coeds Increased To 750

This week, the University begins its 87th year . . . a year that will be noted for the completion of the \$8,000,000 post-war building program, the admission of more than 1300 new students including a record entering class of 800 freshmen in the undergraduate college, and the first jump in the number of women stu-

dents since the end of World War II.

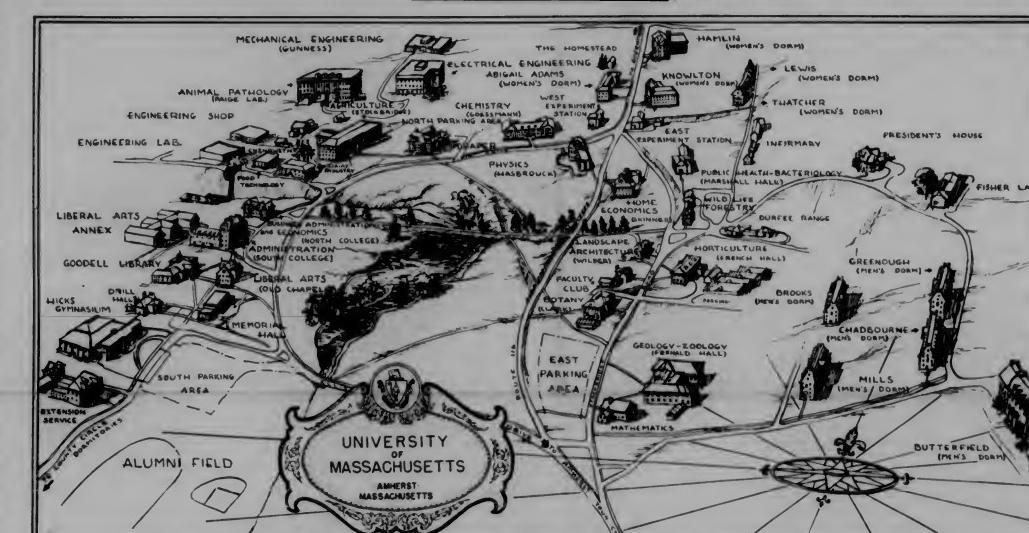
More than \$3,500,000 in new buildings has been expended since last September. Among the buildings that will be occupied for the first time during the academic year are: a \$500,000 electrical engineering building, a \$600,000 animal pathology laboratory, and a \$500,000 student apartment building. In addition, a \$1,500,000 power plant will go into operation for the first time next month.

The largest single group of the more than 1300 new students entering the University in this academic year are the 800 members of the undergraduate college's freshman class.

This class is a third larger than the 600 member freshman class that entered last year, and double the size of the freshman class that could be accommodated two years ago.

The 500 men and 300 women students who make up the freshman

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Faculty In Summer "Hit Some Books" And Wrote Others

Query any student as to how he spent his summer and he would probably say he worked, went away to some beach or resort, or nothing. Not so the faculty. Many of them seem to have carried on their educational functions through the summer.

Tentative plans for the dining hall call for a 3-story building with capacity for serving 1000 persons, said Dining Hall Manager Walter O. Johnson.

The building will contain two large dining rooms with cafeteria service and several smaller dining rooms. This building will be located in the woman's dormitory area in back of Marshall Hall.

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Senate Plans For Frosh Orientation

Last spring, the University Club, headed by Mr. Donald W. Alford, decided that something should be done to further student-faculty relations, and to increase the student's interest in all the varied facets of life here at the University.

Dr. Philip L. Gamble, acting Dean of the School of Bus. Admin., and the head of the Department of Economics, participated in the New England Regional Conference of the Industrial Relations Research Assn. at Mount Holyoke College.

As a result, The University Club, with the sponsorship of the Student Senate, is starting a series of informal get-togethers this fall. Under the leadership of Bruce Wogan of the Economics Department, the meetings are scheduled to start on Monday evening, Sept. 25, and will continue throughout the football season.

These rallies will be presided over by the president of the Senate, Bill Less, and will contain the following features: During the course of the season, members of the faculty and leaders of various student organizations will deliver short talks on life at the University. Doric Alviani, head of the Music Department, will lead a community singing at these gatherings, and Dean of Men Robert S. Hopkins will present brief informal

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Improved Plan For Book Distribution Is Now In Effect

A new plan for the distribution of textbooks was recently announced by Augustine J. Ryan, new general manager of the C-Store.

Freshmen will get their books in Room 15, 1st floor of the C-Store (first room to the right as you enter the front door).

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Robert Morrissey Plans Vet Affairs

Except for those veterans who completed their Veterans Administration papers last May and graduate students who must visit the Graduate School, all veterans (P.L. 16 and P.L. 346) should report to Bowker Auditorium, Stockbridge Hall at 4:30 P.M., Freshman and Seniors on Monday, September 18, Sophomores and Juniors on Tuesday, September 19. Books may not be obtained prior to V.A. clearance. Attendance at these meetings will avoid delay in the processing of V.A. forms for payment of subsistence allowance.

Throughout the year veterans are invited to bring their V.A. problems to Robert J. Morrissey, Assistant Placement Officer and Veterans Coordinator, whose office is located on the second floor of South College. Direct liaison with the V.A